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Business Cards.

B. W. GREEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Emporium, Pa.
A business relating to estate, collections, real estates, Orphan's Court and general law business will receive prompt attention. 42-1y.

J. C. JOHNSON. J. P. MCNARNEY
JOHNSON & MCNARNEY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
EMPORIUM, PA.
Will give prompt attention to all business entrusted to them. 16-1y.

MICHAEL BRENNAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Collections promptly attended to. Real estate and pension claim agent, 35-1y. Emporium, Pa.

F. D. LEET.
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW and INSURANCE AG'T. EMPORIUM, PA
TO LAND OWNERS AND OTHERS IN CAMERON AND ADJOINING COUNTIES.
I have numerous calls for hemlock and hardwood timber lands, also stumpage &c., and parties desiring either to buy or sell will do well to call on me. F. D. LEET.

THOMAS WADDINGTON, Emporium, Pa.,
CONTRACTOR FOR MASONRY AND STONE-CUTTING.
All orders in my line promptly executed. All kinds of building and cut-stone, supplied at low prices. Agent for marble or granite monuments. Lettering neatly done.

CITY HOTEL, WM. MCGEE, PROPRIETOR
Emporium, Pa.
Having again taken possession of this old and popular house I solicit a share of the public patronage. The house is newly furnished and is one of the best appointed hotels in Cameron county. 20-1y.

THE NOVELTY RESTAURANT,
(Opposite Post Office,)
Emporium, Pa.
WILLIAM MCDONALD, Proprietor.
I take pleasure in informing the public that I have purchased the old and popular Novelty Restaurant, located on Fourth street. It will be my endeavor to serve the public in a manner that shall meet with their approbation. Give me a call. Meals and luncheon served at all hours.
no27-1yr Wm. MCDONALD.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL, THOS. J. LYSETT, PROPRIETOR
Near Buffalo Depot, Emporium, Pa.
This new and commodious hotel is now opened for the accommodation of the public. New in all its appointments, every attention will be paid to the guests patronizing this hotel. 27-17-1y

AMERICAN HOUSE,
East Emporium, Pa.,
JOHN L. JOHNSON, Prop'r.
Having resumed proprietorship of this old and well established House I invite the patronage of the public. House newly furnished and thoroughly renovated. 48ly

MAY GOULD, TEACHER OF
PIANO, HARMONY AND THEORY,
Also dealer in all the Popular Sheet Music,
Emporium, Pa.
Scholars taught either at my home on Sixth street or at the homes of the pupils. Out of town scholars will be given dates at my rooms in this place.

F. C. RIECK, D. D. S., DENTIST.
Office over Taggart's Drug Store, Emporium, Pa.

Gas and other local anaesthetics administered for the painless extraction of teeth.
SPECIALTY:—Preservation of natural teeth, including Crown and Bridge Work.
I will visit Driftwood the first Tuesday, and Sinnemahoning the third Wednesday of each month.

The Place to Buy Cheap
—IS AT—
J. F. PARSONS.

OLD RELIABLE DRUG STORE'S

Prescription Department is up to date in every particular. Hundreds will attest to the very low prices. 30 years experience.

Wall Paper.

2000 rolls at 3c per roll. A great variety of high grade paper at greatly reduced prices.

Paints! Paints! Paints!

Paints, oils and varnishes, a full line. Enamel paints, varnishes and stains, in all colors.

Fishing Tackle.

Save money! Call for your Prescriptions, Wall Paper, Paints, Oils Fishing Tackle.

L. TAGGART, Prop.

SEE THE
New Arrivals
FOR 1901!

Without a doubt the largest, high-class, popular manufactures of Cloths ever brought into Cameron county, at

R. SEGER & COMPANY'S.

We have taken especial care in the selection of our goods and propose giving our hundreds of customers.

HONEST, WELL-MADE CLOTHING AT LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

Every dollar's worth of goods must give the wearer satisfaction. We desire all who intend purchasing a suit of clothes this spring to file their orders early, that care may be given to every customer, no matter whether you want a $15 or $40 suit.

R. SEGER & CO.

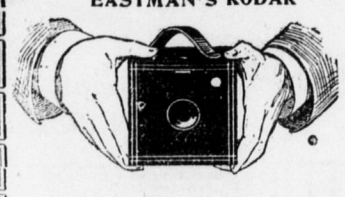
Opposite M. E. Church.

Carpets.

OUR stock of Carpets, Rugs and Mattings is the largest and most complete in the county. Having anticipated the wants of our customers, we have bought very heavily for this spring's trade. Not only is our stock the largest, in the county, but our customers will get better value for less money here than elsewhere. Now if you need a carpet, come and look our line over. We know we can please you. And as we have said before, the prices are the lowest. An immense line of oil cloth. WALL PAPER.—Large and fine stock.

M. C. TULIS.

EASTMAN'S KODAK



You can carry it in your hands, on your shoulder, in your pocket or on your bicycle. You press the button and the Kodak will the rest.

NEW STOCK OF WALL PAPER AT

H. S. LLOYD'S.

AGUINALDO CAPTURED.

MANILLA, March 28—General Funston's daring project for the capture of Aguinaldo in his hiding place in the province of Isabela, Island of Luzon, has proved completely successful.

Aguinaldo was captured there March 23d.

The United States gunboat Vicksburg, Commander E. B. Barry, with General Funston and Aguinaldo on board, arrived here this morning.

Birth-Day Anniversaries.

A number of lady friends made a "surprise" visit to Mrs. M. B. Judd, last Tuesday afternoon, the occasion being the anniversary of her birth. Of course they were welcomed and enjoyed the occasion.

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Riley Warner, mine host of Warner House, hale and hearty, celebrated his 73d birth-day yesterday. He is a wonderfully well preserved man.

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Geo. Metzger, Sr., one of our oldest citizens, met us yesterday while returning from a spin on his bicycle. He informed us that he had been celebrating his 70th birth-day and wanted to complete the century record.

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Our society editor missed two pleasant incidents last week, but it is never too late for the PRESS to right an omission. Last week, Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Julian met a large circle of friends at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Metzger, Sr., and properly celebrated Mr. Julian's 54th anniversary. Of course they and their friends enjoyed a good spread. The good wife had prepared for the center of the table a large cake, in the center of which was placed a mirror and 54 wax candles circled around the cake. The occasion is pleasantly referred to by those who attended.

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William H. Howard and Mrs. C. F. Mankey's birth-day anniversary happening to come on the same day, it has been the custom of the two families to join issues is celebrating the event. This year it was Mr. and Mrs. Howard's turn to entertain Mr. and Mrs. Mankey and their friends, which, of course, was done in elegant style. The event took place at Mr. and Mrs. Howard's large and palatial residence on Sixth street. It would not be considered etiquette to give the pleasant lady's age, yet we are informed Mr. Howard is near the 44th line.

North Creek to Boom.

The citizens of North Creek are elated over the prospects in store for them. Mr. W. D. Johnson, a practical lumberman, has purchased the Hathaway lands, located near Six Mile Run, and has already contracted with W. H. Cramer for the construction of a large shingle mill and camp, to be operated day and night. Mr. W. F. Kiley, the manager, informs us they will also erect a saw mill and another shingle mill at once. The firm are large manufacturers of shingles, last year alone their sales amounted to fifty millions of shingles. They will give employment to 75 to 100 men and many teams.

How Long, Oh! Lord?

Fourth street could be made one of the most beautiful streets in the State, but it is, and has been for years, a mud hole. With an abundance of slag from the furnace there is no sense in maintaining a nuisance. Some of the finest driveways in Pennsylvania are constructed from furnace slag, the objections of some to the contrary, notwithstanding. Try it, Mr. Councilmen.

The New Laundry.

E. E. Mulliner, the new proprietor of the Laundry, has secured the services of a first-class foreman and will be ready to receive orders on April 1st.

EASTER MILLINERY.—Mrs. Bardwell invites the ladies to view her fine display of Easter Hats and trimmings, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 2d and 3rd.

Sunday at M. E. Church.

The services at M. E. Church next Sunday will be as follows: Class meeting at 10 a. m.; preaching, by Rev. E. E. Mulliner, at 10:30, a. m.; Sunday School from 11:45 to 1 o'clock; Junior League at 3 p. m., and devotional services of Epworth League at 6 p. m., giving all who desire an opportunity to attend preaching services at other churches.

Mothers' Meeting.

The regular Mothers' Meeting will be held in the High School room, Saturday, March 30th, at 2:30 p. m.

The following questions will be discussed: (1) How may older pupils be induced to remain in school? (2) Home reading for children; its value. (3) Home visitation by teachers. It is earnestly requested that, so far as possible, all mothers will plan to be present at this meeting.

Governor Signs Bill for Soldiers.

Governor Stone has signed the senate bill providing for the burial of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines who served the United States in any war, who died in almshouses and like institutions. The bill authorizes county commissioners to purchase plots of ground for the burial of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines who served in the United States in any war and who die in indigent circumstances.

Post Office Time of Closing Mails.

Postmaster Chas. Seger desires the patrons of Emporium to kindly bear in mind the hours that mails close for the several trains. Cut this out and put in convenient place:

NORTH.

Time	Close.
8:20 a. m.,	7:55 a. m.
1:45 p. m.,	1:20 p. m.

EAST.

8:15 a. m.,	7:55 a. m.
3:20 p. m.,	2:55 p. m.
10:20 p. m.,	8:00 p. m.

WEST.

10:25 a. m.,	10:00 a. m.
6:23 p. m.,	5:55 p. m.

Mail intended for "Flyer" (5:13 a.m.) west, must be deposited in office before 8:00 p. m.

Mail intended for Buffalo, Port Allegany and Northern points, will be sent on Buffalo Flyer (4:10 a. m.,) if deposited in this office before 8:00 p. m.

General mail from Buffalo, Washington, Philadelphia, New York and eastern and southern points, arrives at 5:13 a. m.

Rural Delivery closes at 8:30 a. m.

CHAS. SEGER, P. M.

A Queer Experience.

Josiah Fink, father of J. H. Fink, of this place, had a very queer accident happen him Monday afternoon. He was driving across the P. & N. W. tracks with some freight when, in some unexplainable manner, he fell off the seat, striking his head and side on one of the rails which rendered him unconscious for fully fifteen minutes. When he recovered he was unable to explain the matter at all. He doesn't understand how he fell, or after he had apparently gained consciousness did not remember driving to the depot and unloading his wagon. Mr. Fink is 71 years old and is as hale and hearty as most men at fifty. He is very much mystified as to how it all happened.—Punxsutawney Spirit. The gentleman referred to above is Josiah Fink, an old-time resident of Sinnamahoning, and in his day the wheel horse of Cameron county democracy. We know many of our readers will be pleased to hear from the gentleman, yet all will be sorry to hear of his accident.

Please Take Notice.

On and after the first day of April anyone having in their possession, or using my bottles for any purpose other than for what they are intended, or any persons offering for sale or buying said bottles, will be prosecuted and punished to the full extent of the law. Please observe this notice.

5-3t F. X. BLUMLE.

Dress goods sold from samples at E. Hurteau's.

Emmanuel Church.

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion next Sunday, (Palm Sunday), at 7:30 a. m.

Sad News.

Ex-Sheriff Frank Mundy on Monday received a telegram informing him of the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Annie English, of Anita, Jefferson county, Pa., in her 30th year. The news was a sad blow to Mr. Mundy and wife, who did not even know that the lady was ill. Mr. and Mrs. English visited here last Summer and met many of our citizens. Mr. Mundy left Tuesday morning to attend the funeral.

The Country of Sheridan's Ride.

The unique project of photographing the entire route of Sheridan's ride, from Winchester, Virginia, to Cedar Creek, as it is to-day, has been carried out by The Ladies' Home Journal, and the result will be shown in a picture story of fourteen photographs. Sheridan and his aids on horse-back, from historical pictures, have been introduced into each picture, so that the ride of 1864 is shown as if it were taken to-day through that country, which, in reality, has changed but little.

A. W. Mason Does Some Rapid Work in the Sinnamahoning.

A. W. Mason, the Sterling Run jobber for Brown, Clark & Howe, of Williamsport, reached Driftwood with his Sinnamahoning drive of 2,000,000 feet of logs on Thursday evening. In the accomplishment of this undertaking Mr. Moson did something remarkable in fast work, and every one of the logs are expected to reach the boom on the present rise. Mr. Mason is one of the up-to-date drivers, and is remarkably successful in all his work.—Renovo News.

Elk County Medical Society.

The bi-monthly meeting of the Elk County medical Society was held at Ridgway, Thursday, March 14th. In speaking of the papers read before the Society, the Elk Democrat says: "A paper was read by Dr. Bardwell upon a subject of interest to the profession. It was an excellent production, and was well received." You can rest assured the subject was handled properly—Dr. B. never writes unless he has something to say, and that right to the point in plain English.

Returned from Philippines.

Willis J. McClenahan, Corporal of Company C, 36th Reg., U. S. Vol., returned to Emporium last Friday, after serving in the Philippines since March 1899. McClenahan evidently was a good soldier for he returns home bearing the stripes of Corporal. His friends here are pleased to know that he fared well under Uncle Sam. In conversation with the PRESS, last evening, he spoke well of the Philippines and may re-enlist again, after visiting his old friends and parents for a time. He is busy now receiving congratulations of friends.

Maro, the Magician.

There is nothing more delightful to the little ones, or the older ones either, than an entertainment in magic. They have all read about Aladdin and his wonderful lamp. They have all read the facinating books of Hans Andersen and the marvelous "Grimm's Fairy Tales," and know the different wizards in these stories so well that if they met them on the street they wouldn't be the least afraid. But it is one thing to read about these wizards of "ye olden times" and quite another thing to see one in this enlightened day of the world. To be sure there are only a few, a very few real meritorious and recognized conjurors in our country to-day, and "the youngest of the great and the greatest of the young" of these wonder-workers is Maro. His easy, graceful manner and pleasant conversational way of presenting things to his audience at once wins their confidence and esteem. For by his peculiar method of working he gives out the impression that he is not trying to deceive his audience, and to this fact alone may be contributed a great proportion of Maro's success, for his auditors at once become on friendly terms with him, and enter into the various illusions almost as ardently as the magician himself. Maro is always looking about him for something new, and is constantly presenting a program of late novelties. He may be termed a "popular conjuror," for he is just wise enough for the sedate; humorous enough for the jovial; refined enough for the fashionable, and just mysterious enough to please the old and young alike.

EASTER OPENING.—Pattern hats and millinery novelties. Thursday, April fourth, 1901. E. HURTEAU.

WEATHER REPORT.
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)
FRIDAY, Partly cloudy; cold.
SATURDAY, Warmer, probably rain.
SUNDAY, Fair.

BRIEF MENTION.

Next Monday the flittings will begin to flit.

Demand for dwelling houses is on the increase here.

April 1st is moving day and many of our citizens will "flit."

Several Emporium ladies are interested in the "Buffalo" club.

Many new dwelling houses will be erected in Emporium this summer.

If the fool-killer comes along next Monday he will no doubt have his hands "fool."

Daniel Downey, of west Fifth street, has made extensive improvements in and about his residence.

The ladies of M. E. Church netted $26.00 from the festival held last Saturday evening. Great workers.

How about your yards, are they in apple-pie order? It is now the time of year to begin this important matter of cleaning up.

M. C. Tulis, the big brick department store, offers the PRESS readers some extraordinary bargains this week. Read his ad.

Howard C. Benham, who narrowly escaped the electric chair in the celebrated wife poisoning case, is now a traveling gas fixture agent.

Judge Mitchell has appointed W. C. Gilmore, Esq., guardian for Godfrey and Marcia Howard, grandchildren of the late William Howard.—Williamsport News.

An overheated gas stove in Bedard's tailoring establishment came near causing a fire last Sunday afternoon, but early discovery and prompt work saved a first-class local and Mr. B. his stock.

Some men say that a woman in calico looks as fair and inviting as a woman in satin or silk, but the women don't believe it. They well know that fine feathers greatly become fine birds.

The literary department of the Epworth League gave an eunique entertainment last Friday evening. The program consisted of singing, reading, recitations and instrumental solos, and was enjoyed by a large audience.

A Dutchman stopped us the other day and asked: "Why don'd dhose wimmens git that clock? Efry dime I loogs at that Gourt House oop I gan't dell vhat dime iss it. I suppose dhey don'd got some moneys enough maype, ooh?"

John E. Smith, of Sterling Run, has an advertisement in this issue that will interest all farmers and gardners. Mr. Smith conducts one of the best stores in the county, does a flourishing business and sells at very reasonable prices. Read his announcement.

The Climax Powder Company have contracted for five hundred tons of cinder, from the furnace at this place, to be used on their private wagon road. The Climax haul heavy loads, yet they find it makes excellent roads. Still our borough council refuse to use it on the streets. Gentlemen, take one block, scrape up the mud, haul it away and try the cinder for an experiment, but keep the mud off the street.

Warner House Sold.

Just as we go to press we are reliably informed that Jos. L. Wheeler has closed the contract for the purchase of the Warner House, to take effect at once, or as soon as the license can be transferred. The house will be completely renovated, remodeled, repaired and refurnished. We have not the time to give the particulars in this issue.

Mankey Plant Resumes.

The charter having been granted for THE MANKEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY this long idle Emporium industry resumed operations last Monday morning under the management of Mr. C. F. Mankey and a number of other Emporium capitalists. The plant will be in full running order within a few days and as rapidly as the lumber is turned from the dry kilns the machinery department will resume operations. Orders are rapidly coming in from old customers. The stockholders are exclusively home business men and have ample capital to successfully float the enterprise. The plant will be operated to its fullest capacity.

Engraved Work.

The PRESS jobbing department is prepared to furnish engraved cards, wedding invitations or announcements. Call and see samples and learn our prices. Prices reasonable.

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ADVERTISING RATES:

Advertisements are published at the rate of one dollar per square for one insertion and fifty cents per square for each subsequent insertion.

Rates by the year, or for six or three months, are low and uniform, and will be furnished on application.

Legal and Official Advertising per square, three times or less, $2; each subsequent insertion 50 cents per square.

Local notices 10 cents per line for one insertion; 5 cents per line for each subsequent consecutive insertion.

Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, $5 per year; over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

Dr. "Spank" Still In Demand.

It is refreshing in these days of scientific child-culture to find at least one educator of reputation who does not think that the virtue has all departed from the slipper and the shingle of other days. Prof. Stanley G. Hall, who addressed the Illinois Congress of Mothers at its meeting recently, threw down the gantlet in the face of those who declare that "the child's will must never be thwarted," and declared that the old-fashioned Dr. "Spank" was still needed in every nursery. He declared that one of the most important lessons a child can learn is that of obedience, and that it is impossible to teach that lesson without punishing disobedience. In this conclusion, says the Chicago Tribune, almost every parent will agree. Moral suasion and "suggestion" are proper as far as they go, but there is still room and necessity for an occasional "thou shalt not." Else the grownup child will be likely to run his head against a stone wall, which he might have avoided if he had learned early in life the virtue of discipline and the stern fact that Mother Nature punishes her children when they break her laws.

A Camera Girl's Misfortune.

A Philadelphia girl who has just returned from a two years' tour abroad is having many jokes cracked at her expense by reason of her experiences in the field of amateur photography, reports the Record of that city. She took with her a camera, one of the tripod variety, and 1,000 films. All during her travels the camera was her constant companion, and in order to keep tabs on her pictures she jotted down in a note book just what each one was. This little book contained such subjects as "Feeding Crocodiles in the Ganges," "Sunrise on the Nile," "A Street in Jerusalem" and others of an equally interesting nature. Almost the first thing she did when she reached home was to send her thousand films to a professional photographer to have them developed. The next day she received a message from him asking her to call, and learned that her labor of two years had been wasted. Never once had she removed the cap from the camera, and every film was blank.

Beware of how you call your physician "doc." A well-known specialist of Milwaukee, according to the Journal, of that city, said: "A patient of mine was in here a few days ago. I had done something for him which I could charge any amount in reason. I had intended to make it reasonable. I sat at the desk with a pencil in my hand. He began to speak to me familiarly, addressing me as 'doc.' Every time he 'doc'ed' me I made a mark on a piece of paper and charged him one dollar extra for each time. He doesn't know the cost of his familiarity, but I do."

Aunt Peggy Jones, who has long claimed to be the oldest woman living in the United States, died in Ghent, Ky., a few days ago. She said that she was 124 years old, and the oldest neighbors say that it is likely she was correct, as no one remembers a time when Aunt Peggy was anything but an old woman. Her oldest living child, Charlotte, is over 100 years old. These colored people have always lived in and about Ghent. Charlotte is still an active woman, and Aunt Peggy was a wonder for her age.

A young man in Emporia, Mo., recently received a letter from his sweetheart in another town and in it he was told to "look under the stamp on the envelope." The young man spent an hour steaming that letter, and when he finally got the stamp off he read: "Was it hard to get off?" The match may be off as well as the stamp by this time.

That Ohio woman who counts her descendants at the census figure of 367 and at the age of 104 is sound of mind, vigorous of body and warm of heart, is one of that class of old-fashioned domestic divinities being superseded but not improved upon by the new variety of domestic diminutives.

OUR RELATIONS WITH CUBA.

Soundness and Justice of the Terms on Which the Island Has Been Treated.

It is difficult to find any ground for partisan opposition to the agreement reached by the United States senate committee on relations with Cuba, formulated as an amendment to the army appropriation bill. The amendment, it adopted, will be a notification to Cuba of the conditions under which the United States will withdraw from exercising sovereignty over the island. Our government has never claimed that such sovereignty was more than temporary.

The terms require that the government of Cuba shall never enter into a treaty with any foreign power by which its independence will be impaired or any lodgment or control over any portion of the island be conceded to such power; that the government shall not assume or contract any public debt beyond the capacity of the ordinary revenues to meet; that the United States shall have the right to intervene for the preservation of Cuban independence and the maintenance of an adequate government in accordance with the terms of the treaty of Paris; that all acts of the United States in Cuba during our military occupation shall be ratified and validated; that the government of Cuba shall execute and extend the plans already devised for sanitation of the cities of the island, with a view to preventing the recurrence of infectious diseases and protecting the commerce of Cuba; that the Isle of Pines shall be omitted from the constitutional boundaries of the new republic, the title thereto to be left to future adjustment by treaty; that in order to maintain the independence of Cuba the United States shall have coaling and naval stations at specified points; and that these provisions be embodied in a permanent treaty with the United States.

The amendment has the unanimous approval of the committee on relations with Cuba, which is composed as follows: Republicans—Orville H. Platt, of Connecticut; Nelson W. Aldrich, of Rhode Island; Shelby M. Cullom, of Illinois; James McMillan, of Michigan; William E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, and John C. Spooner, of Wisconsin. Democrats—Hernando D. Money, of Mississippi, and James P. Taliaferro, of Florida. Silver Republican—Henry M. Teller, of Colorado. Populist—Marion Butler, of North Carolina. There could hardly be a body more diverse in political opinion than that committee. Senator Teller, who is a member, is the author of the Teller resolution which guaranteed independence to Cuba. His indorsement of the proposed plan of adjustment strengthens belief in its soundness and justice.—Troy Times.

THE CLOSING CONGRESS.

What Democratic Opposition Has Done to Swell the Expenses.

When the figures of appropriations are put together for the total, and analyzed for the details, it will be found that the outgoing congress has been one of the most lavish congresses on record, apart from the extraordinary expenditures rendered necessary by the results of the war with Spain.

The republican party will be attacked for this by the opposition; and justly, for, the republican party is responsible for the size of the appropriations.

Yet there is one thing to be said in regard to the stern virtue with which democratic orators and democratic newspapers are likely to denounce the total.

No honest effort has been made by the minority in either house of congress during the session just ended to check extravagance or to inculcate economy. There has been a pretence of it in the house, but only a pretence. The democrats in congress have been more frantic, if anything, than the republicans in the hungry assault upon the contents of the pork barrel.

More than this. The future historian will probably discover good evidence, if he tries to find it, that democratic opposition and obstruction to the two most important and imperatively urgent measures of the session, the Spooner amendment concerning civil government in the Philippines and the declaration concerning Cuba, were practically bought off at the last with the river and harbor bill, the supplementary public buildings bill and other costly enactments much desired by individual democrats in the senate and house for private, local or political reasons.

That is part of the price we pay.—N. Y. Sun.

No Room for Doubt.

There can be no room for doubt henceforth as to the political status of men who give utterance to their views concerning the insular possessions of the United States. If they favor the policy of the administration as to these possessions they must be classified as republicans. All who oppose it must be classified as democrats. This is not one of those minor issues as to which a man may dissent from his party and yet insist with propriety that he shall be accounted loyal to it. This is no nonpolitical question to be settled without regard to party lines. It is a political question of paramount importance. The republican creed concerning it has been established finally by high and competent authority. Dissenters from that creed cannot now be republicans.—Chicago Tribune.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED.

Unlooked-For Events That Have Transpired Under the McKinley Administration.

Four years ago no one dreamed that the incoming administration would be called upon to embark upon the unknown seas of world-wide affairs. The cloud over Cuba appeared, but few men thought it would result in war between the United States and Spain. For more than a year President McKinley resisted the influence that bore the country into the conflict over Cuba, and he only yielded when the whole country seemed to demand that the United States should intervene to put an end to Spanish outrage. The early termination of the war and the settlement by treaty gave us the Philippines, where our first naval battle was fought. Many assume that it would have been better to have left them with Spain to sell to some European government, but there is reason to believe that, as the months pass, the opinion is gaining that it is better in every way to hold the archipelago, not only for our own good but for the good of the natives and the welfare of the world at large.

A few months after the ratification of the treaty of Paris the question of the future of China assumed much importance. The scheme most talked of was the partition of China among the powers. While that discussion was going on the president secured a treaty from all the governments that the United States should have the same rights in the markets of China as the governments that might control the territory. Then came the outbreak in China. Our great success in the affair with Spain and our holding of the Philippines gave this country an advantage and an influence it would not otherwise have had. We were able to be among the first to land troops in China to rescue the foreigners. Our seasoned troops, with their experienced commanders, were the most effective while the conflict lasted, and the most orderly when it was over. We won the good will of the silent Chinese by being the only nation which did not loot and by insisting upon fair treatment for that nation. The most prominent factor in the assemblage of powers, we have prevented the dismemberment of China and influenced the nations to treat that people with something of humanity. Whatever it may be to us in commerce, no candid person who informs himself can doubt that our possession of the Philippines has already been beneficial to the natives and that our hold of Cuba is for the advantage of the Cubans.

This unlooked-for participation and potential influence in world-wide events, so unlooked for four years ago, is the natural sequence of our going out of our accustomed orbit to rescue Cuba. Whether we approve or disapprove, it cannot be denied that this sudden appearance in the world's affairs has been most successful. No other nation that could have kept out of international affairs could have entered and been a potential leader in three short years in the greatest events in which the nations have been called to participate. Great Britain's participation in foreign affairs as a world power for generations has not given it more power in the councils of the nations than has come to us within four years. Are those who study this wonder in national development to be regarded as irreverent because they call these achievements providential?—Indianapolis Journal.

CURRENT COMMENT.

☞W. J. Bryan says that the president is now clothed in imperial power. And yet business appears to be going on about as usual.—Washington Star.

☞It could not have been exceedingly difficult for a Buffalo waiter to impersonate Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan is something of a waiter himself.—Detroit Free Press (Dem.).

☞What the democratic party needs, and needs badly, is (1) a policy and (2) a leader. To judge from the recent session of congress, it just now stands for nothing—not even for unreasoning opposition—and it has no leader or leaders to command attention and to evoke respect.—Indianapolis News (Ind.).

☞It is said the president has advices from Cuba to the effect that the conviction is growing in the island that the relations defined in the resolutions of congress between the island and the United States is the only safe policy for the Cubans. The conservative and intelligent residents who uphold the industrial enterprises of the island favor the plan of congress.—Indianapolis Journal.

☞Those who are objecting to this government's exercising control over the new Cuban republic would hardly say that a boy without experience should be trusted to fill a man's place free from restraining influence. When the Cuban republic has been given a trial conditions may change to such an extent as to make it possible to give it free rein as an independent nation. In the meantime the interests of the United States should be protected. — Cleveland Leader.

☞The amendments to the army bill are not to be found in those words in the republican platform of 1900, but the policy they embody was substantially approved at the polls last November by an overwhelming majority of the American people. At that same election the policy of the administration with reference to Porto Rico had the stamp of popular approval placed on it. It is definitely and unquestionably a part of the creed of the republican party.—Chicago Tribune.

WRITES OF NOBLE WORK.

Miss Helen Gould Tells of What the Women's Auxiliary Hopes to Do for Sailors.

Miss Helen Miller Gould has, in a modest way, entered the literary field. In the March number of Success there is a brief article from her pen on a subject known to be close to her heart, "The Saving of the Soldier and the Sailor." In it she tells, in a simple, practical way, of the work that the women's auxiliary intends to do in the new shore home for the jolly jack tar, which is nearing completion just outside of the Brooklyn navy yard, and into which Miss Gould has cheerfully put about $400,000. She invites the co-operation of patriotic American women in helping along the good work. Miss Gould says:

"Nowhere in the range of uplifting activities does there exist a better field for usefulness than in the improvement of the social surroundings of the enlisted men of the army and navy. This is the semi-patriotic work in which the ladies of the women's auxiliary of the international committee of the Young Women's Christian association have been engaged since 1899."

Sure Signs of Age.

The writer of "Feminine News and Views" gives these sure signs of old age in woman: 1. When letters to girl friends are mostly addressed "Mrs." 2. When she begins to care a great deal about the supper at an entertainment. 3. When she feels a sudden interest in church and charity work. 4. When she is attractive to very young men. 5. When she realizes the folly of dressing in sober colors. 6. When she compares the new way of wearing the hair with that when she first put hers up. 7. When—most fatal of all—the gravity of youth gradually gives way to incipient kittenishness.

Knowing and Telling.

"The man that tells all he knows," said the Cornfed Philosopher, "is a good deal plentier than the man that knows all he tells."—Indianapolis Press.

Throw physic to the dogs—if you don't want the dogs—but if you want good digestion chew Beeman's Pepsin Gum.

It were safer to place your mouth to the muzzle of a gun than on the lips of a deceitful woman.—N. Y. Herald.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES do not stain the hands or spot the kettle. Sold by all druggists.

When wine is in wit is out.—Danish Proverb.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

Money will not buy food for a hungry heart.—Chicago Daily News.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the Cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles 25 and 50 cents. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

Sometimes when the muse declines to be invoked, she cannot help but be provoked which seems to answer equally well for magazine purposes.—Detroit Journal.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb 17, 1900.

It is easy to recover from another man's adversity.—Ram's Horn.

When You Buy Ink

get Carter's and you will get the best every time. "Inklings" free. Carter's Ink Co., Boston.

It must be difficult for a square man to look round.—Ally Sloper.

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There are always a lot of people willing to pay a little something to have their prejudice tickled.—Atchison Globe.

AFTER-EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE.

THE after-effects of the grip are often disastrous. It is commonly known to the medical fraternity that the numerous ailments and complications which follow the grip are apt to be more serious than the acute stage of the disease.

Some people have the grip very lightly. They may be confined to the house only a day or two and yet a long train of disagreeable, disabling symptoms follow. All sorts of tonics and stimulating remedies have been devised to meet this condition. None of them can compare in results with Peruna.

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Washington, Feb. 4, 1899.
The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Congressman Howard.

Gentlemen — "I have taken Peruna now for two weeks, and find I am very much relieved. I feel that my cure will be permanent. I have also taken it for la grippe, and take pleasure in recommending Peruna as an excellent remedy to all fellow-sufferers." M. W. Howard.

Congressman Howard's home address is Fort Payne, Ala.

Grip Produces Catarrh.

Henry Distin, the inventor and maker of all the band instruments for the Henry Distin Mfg. Co., at Williamsport, Pa., writes:

1441 South Ninth Street,
Philadelphia, Pa., May 6, 1899.

Dr. S. B. Hartman, Dear Sir:—"I write to inform you that I had a bad attack of la grippe last December which lasted more than three months and which left me with catarrh, when several of my frends advised me to try your wonderful medicine, Peruna. I began with a bottle the first week in March and it certainly did me a great deal of good. I was so well satisfied that I purchased another bottle and followed your directions which you furnish with every bottle, and I am glad to say that it has cured me. I shall certainly recommend the Peruna to all my friends."

GRIP CAUSED NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA.

D. D. Wallace, a charter member of the International Barbers' Union, writes from 15 Western avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.:

"Following a severe attack of la grippe, I seemed to be affected badly all over. I suffered with a severe backache, indigestion and numerous ills, so I could neither eat nor sleep, and I thought I would give up my work, which I could not afford to do.

"One of my customers who was greatly helped by Peruna advised me to try it, and I procured a bottle the same day. I used it faithfully and felt a marked improvement. During the next two months I took five bottles, and then felt splendid. Now my head is clear, my nerves are steady, I enjoy food, and rest well. Peruna has been worth a dollar a dose to me."—D. L. Wallace.

Washington, April 24, 1900.
The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Frances M. Anderson.

Gentlemen—"About two months ago I was taken very ill with la grippe and was obliged to go to bed. I took three bottles of Peruna with very beneficial results and was able to leave my bed in a week, and regained my usual strength very soon. I have nothing but the highest praise for Peruna and recommend it to those similarly afflicted wherever I can."—Frances M. Anderson.

Grip Poisoned Her Blood.

Mrs. T. W. Collins, Treasurer of the Independent Order of Good Templars of Everett, Wash., writes:

"After having a severe attack of la grippe I continued in a feeble condition even after the doctor called me cured. My blood seemed poisoned.

"I also suffered with dyspepsia, and had either to starve or suffer from what I was eating. A neighbor who was using Peruna praised it so highly that she induced me to try it, and I soon found that this was what I really needed.

"I could soon eat my regular meals with relish, my system was built up, my health returned, and I have remained in excellent strength and vigor now for over two years."—Mrs. T. W. Collins.

GRIP LEFT HER BROKEN DOWN.

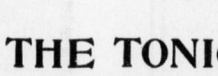
Miss Alice Dressler, of 1313 N. Bryant avenue, Minneapolis, Minn., writes as follows concerning Peruna:

"Last spring I suffered from la grippe and was partially cured, but the bad after-effects remained through the summer and somehow I did not get as strong as I was before.

"In the fall I caught cold after getting my feet wet and attending a lecture in a cold hall, and suffered a relapse. Catarrh of the throat and head followed, and as I was in a weak condition physically previous to this, it took but little to break me down completely. One of my college friends, who was visiting me, asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of catarrh, but restored me to perfect health."—Alice Dressler.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



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HARRISON'S WILL.

It Practically Disinherits His Son Russell.

The Widow Is Given $15,000 in Cash and the Interest on $125,000—At Her Death the Estate Is to be Divided Between His Daughters and His Son's Children.

Indianapolis, March 20.—The will of Gen. Harrison was filed for probate yesterday. He bequeaths to the Union Trust Co., as trustees, if his wife shall survive him, $125,000—to be invested—the interest to be paid to her during her life.

At the death of his wife any earned interest not paid to her shall become part of his residuary estate. To his wife he also leaves $15,000; to his daughter Elizabeth $10,000, to be paid to his wife as trustee. When Elizabeth becomes of age or marries she is to have any unexpended balance. If she dies before receiving it, such unused balance shall go to her mother.

He leaves $10,000 to be invested by the Union Trust Co. and to accumulate until his grandson, Benjamin Harrison McKee, shall become of age, when he shall have the principal and interest. The trustee is authorized however, to use the interest in the support of the grandson if necessary. If the grandson dies before becoming of age the fund shall become a part of the residuary estate. To each of his grandchildren, Mary Lodge McKee, Marthena Harrison and William Harrison, he leaves $2,500.

Item 16 of the will reads as follows: "If another child should be born to me of my present marriage I give to such child $10,000. If a boy shall be born to me he shall bear my name and my sword and sash shall be given to him, instead of my son Russell."

He gives to his sisters, Sarah H. Devin and Anna H. Morris, and to his sister-in-law, Elizabeth Scott Parker, each $500.

He bequeaths to his sister, Bettie H. Eaton, an annuity of $600. He bequeaths to his nephew, Benjamin Harrison, son of his brother John, $500.

To the Indianapolis orphan asylum he leaves $500; to the Eleanor home $500; to the summer mission for sick children $100; to his secretary, Frank Tibbett, $500. He sets out that he has already given to his children, Russell and Mary, the jewelry and other things belonging to their mother. These and other articles belonging to their mother, he bequeaths to these children. This gift, he says, is not to be taken to include articles of furniture purchased by their mother for the home and paid for by him. He confirms to his wife all the gifts she has received, all the articles in the house that were purchased within six months before his marriage with her, and all that have been purchased by either of them since that time.

He gives to his wife all horses, vehicles and stable furnishings. He directs that all the personal property left to his wife for her life shall at her death be divided among his surviving children, the issue of any that may have died taking the parent's share. His wife is not required to file any inventory of property, nor to give any bond, nor be liable for any loss. He leaves to his wife for the term of her life the homestead. He also leaves to his wife six lots in Herkimer county, N. Y.

All debts owing to him by his son Russell are remitted and the executor is directed to cancel any evidence of such indebtedness.

To his son Russell he gives the portraits of the first Mrs. Harrison, some other portraits and family relics. To his daughter, Mary Harrison McKee, he leaves a portrait of her mother, some other portraits and family relics. To his daughter Elizabeth he leaves some family portraits, medals and relics, together with a gold watch chain, silver toilet set and all his souvenir spoons. To his grandson, Benjamin McKee, he leaves his watch and chain and his shotgun. To his brother Carter his Loyal Legion badge, and a cane to be selected by his wife. To his brother John his gold sleeve buttons and cane.

It is directed that the provisions made for his wife are in lieu of all her interests in the estate as his widow.

All the rest of his estate is left as follows: It is to be divided into as many equal shares as he leaves children, and one additional share for the issue of any child that may have died leaving issue. One such share is given to his son Russell in trust for the children of Russell, to be used for the support of such children; such portion as is not used before shall be turned over to the child on his becoming of age. In the event of the death of any of such children, his share shall be divided among the surviving children.

The second equal share is given to his daughter, Mary Harrison McKee.

A third equal share is left to his daughter Elizabeth.

The will was drawn up April 20, 1899.

Harrison's Estate Worth $380,000.

Indianapolis, March 22.—Ex-President Harrison left $40,000 in life insurance. The fact was announced last night by the president of the Union Trust Co., which is executor of Gen. Harrison's will. He said: "Gen. Harrison had four policies of $10,000 each in force. Our appraisement of the Harrison estate gives its total value at $380,000."

Increased the Excursion Rate.

New York, March 20.—The passenger committee of the Trunk Line association met yesterday and agreed on certain rates to the Pan-American exposition. Several rates so far made by the association for this event were intended to be good for May only. This announcement created the impression among the public at large that later still cheaper rates would be made. This idea is erroneous. The passenger committee yesterday slightly increased the rate on the ten-day excursion ticket after June 1.

LIBERAL TERMS OF PEACE.

Gen. Botha Rejected Those Offered by Lord Kitchener During the Recent Armistice.

London, March 22.—The Daily Chronicle, professing to be able to give an outline of the negotiations between Lord Kitchener and Gen. Botha, says:

"The chief obstacle to a settlement was Lord Kitchener's refusal to grant complete amnesty to the leaders of the rebels in Cape Colony. He offered self-government immediately upon the cessation of hostilities, with legislative bodies partly elected by the burghers.

"The government agreed to provide £1,000,000 to compensate the Boers for property destroyed and articles commandeered by the Boers, provided the signatures of the officers who commandeered goods were forthcoming. He also offered to grant loans on easy terms for rebuilding and restocking farms.

"Moreover he agreed that children should be instructed in English or Dutch at the discretion of their parents. The government undertook to make no claim on church property or funds, nor upon hospital funds, nor private investments.

"No burgher of either state was to be allowed to possess a rifle except by special license.

"Gen. Botha was generally in favor of these conditions, but he dissented strongly from a proposal to give the full privilege of citizenship to properly domiciled and registered blacks. He was also greatly concerned about the position Jewish capitalists would occupy in the country, and was told that Jews and Christians would enjoy equal rights, no distinction being made in the matter of concessions."

"It is reported here," says the Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that a company of American volunteers, mostly Bostonians, recently landed at Kobi Bay, Tongaland, crossed Swaziland and joined Louis Botha."

A correspondent of the Times, who is near Bloemfontein, gives a report that Gen. De Wet, Gen. Botha and two other Boer commanders, addressing a force of burghers at Senekal on Sunday, said they were still able to continue the war, but were ready to accept annexation on condition that the British would guarantee joint education in Dutch and English, liberty to retain sporting rifles on license, indemnity to the amount of £3,000,000 for burned farms, no franchise for natives and amnesty for all beligerents still in the field.

De Wet, according to the correspondent, has gone north to the Transvaal, after ordering a suspension of active operations until his return.

HE HAS SEEN A NEW LIGHT.

Mrs. Nation Urges Women to Begin a Crusade Against Indecent Pictures in Saloons.

Kansas City, Mo., March 22.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the anti-saloon crusader, addressing an open meeting of the W. C. T. U. in this city Thursday urged the members to begin a crusade against the indecent pictures that hang on the walls of saloons. She told them that they should not be mere "seat warmers," but active workers in the cause of morality and decency. "But, Mother Nation," complained a W. C. T. U. woman, "haven't we taken down these pictures again and again without succeeding in keeping them down? What are we to do?"

Instantly came the reply: "If you wash your face one day, does that remove the obligation for the next day? You must wash and wash and clean and clean. You must not rest, you must not tire."

While no action was taken several women spoke in defense of Mrs. Nation's efforts against saloons.

Earlier in the day Mrs. Nation had entered a saloon and caused a picture to be removed from the wall. "If I had my hatchet," she said, "I would go through the place."

A police officer escorted her out of the place, and upon her promise to do no smashing, Mrs. Nation was released without being taken to the station.

Topeka, Kan., March 22.—Mrs. Carrie Nation has signed a contract for six lectures to be given in Cincinnati. She will receive $100 for each of the lectures and all her expenses.

A PANIC AT A FIRE.

Women and Children are Trampled on in a Rush to Escape Injury from Falling Walls.

Chicago, March 22.—Fire last night destroyed the warehouse of Ford, Johnson & Co., at Sixteenth street and Wabash avenue. The building and everything inside was ruined. The north, south and east walls of the building collapsed while a number of firemen were inside fighting the fire. They were compelled to drop their hose and run for their lives. Several were badly bruised by falling bricks. A panic was created among the thousands of spectators and in a wild rush to escape injury by the falling walls many women and children were knocked down and trampled upon.

The cause of the fire is unknown. It was claimed by some that it was started by an explosion, but W. F. Johnson, secretary of the company, declared that the noise mistaken for an explosion was the falling of the automatic trapdoors in the elevator shaft. There was nothing in the building of an explosive nature, he said. The total damage is estimated at $200,000.

A Message in a Bottle.

Galveston, Tex., March 22.—A message found in a bottle picked up on the beach yesterday says that the schooner Rover, of New York, was wrecked off Cape Horn and that the two writers of the message, Joseph and James Swift, are captives of the Terra Del Fuegan Indians. It is believed that the schooner Rover, of Baltimore, is missing or lost, for an old treasury department list of merchant vessels gives such an ocean-going vessel and the name of the same vessel does not appear in the 1900 book.

A TERRIBLE DEED.

A Massachusetts Woman Kills Her Six Children.

An Appalling Tragedy in a Farmhouse Near the Village of Coldbrook—Murderess Tried to End Her Own Life, but Did Not Succeed.

Coldbrook, Mass., March 22.—Mrs. Lizzie Naramore, while in a fit of insanity Thursday afternoon, killed her six children at her home, a farmhouse half a mile from this village, and then tried to take her own life. The children ranged from 10 years to a babe of ten months, and their lives were taken by the mother with an ax and a club. She laid the blood-drenched bodies on the beds, two on one bed and the other four on a bed in another room, and then attempted to take her own life by cutting her throat with a razor. When discovered she was in the bed on which the bodies of four children were lying. Although she cut a deep gash in her throat and suffered the loss of much blood, it is believed she will recover. Frank Naramore, the husband and father, left his home at the usual hour in the morning to go to his work at a sawmill, and at that time his wife did not attract his attention by acting strangely.

It is supposed the crime was committed shortly after noon, the discovery being made by George Thrasher, an employe of a grocery store, who visited the Naramore house about 2:45 o'clock for the purpose of delivering groceries that had previously been ordered by Mrs. Naramore. He was unable to get in the house by the door and he looked in a window and noticed blood on the floor, while Mrs. Naramore was lying on a bed. He was surprised also by the absence of the children, whom he was accustomed to see playing in or about the house. He returned to this village and told of what he had seen.

A party was made up and a hasty visit was made to the Naramore house. An entrance was effected and the mutilated bodies of the six children were found. Mrs. Naramore was alive, but was very weak from loss of blood. She was removed to the village hotel and at a late hour last night the attending physicians were confident that she would survive.

During the evening a number of neighbors of the family saw and talked with Mrs. Naramore and to them she told how she killed her children.

At the time the party of villagers found Mrs. Naramore she was asked how she did the deed and she said she took the lives in four different rooms, and as fast as she killed one child the body was placed on a bed. The children were three boys and three girls. Ethel, 10 years of age, was the eldest, while the ages of Walter, Charlie, Chester, Bessie and Lena ranged from 8 years to 10 months, Lena being the baby.

Mrs. Namara told her most intimate friends last night that she first killed Ethel and then followed with the five others, each time taking the next oldest. Five were killed by being struck on the head with the back of an ax, while Lena was killed with a club. She says she fully expected the gash in her throat would cause her death and that when her husband returned at night he would find all of the bodies in the two beds. She appeared rational last evening and displayed signs of sorrow for the deed she had committed.

THE WINTER WHEAT CROP.

Reports from Many Sections Promise a Large Yield.

New York, March 22.—Dun's Review on March 23 will say of the condition of the winter wheat crop:

Reports from a large number of correspondents in the winter wheat belt, show the condition of the growing grain generally favorable. In Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois the acreage is reduced, owing to partial failure last year, and the mild winter in some sections has been unfavorable. Fears are expressed in some quarters that the ravages of the Hessian fly will be serious, especially if the present dry weather continues. In scattered sections of Illinois, Kentucky and Tennessee the grain was winter killed and farmers are plowing it under.

Dry weather during the fall months caused much damage in Kentucky, and in Tennessee the changeable weather of the early winter and lack of rain caused damage. In Illinois wet weather is helping grain and it is hoped that a continuation will enable to outgrow the fly. In Michigan the acreage is less than last year, but damage by the fly will not materially reduce the crop. The best reports come from the southwest. In Missouri the grain wintered well and large yield is expected. In Kansas, Oklahoma and southern Texas there is an increase in the acreage and the condition of the grain was never better.

Big Raise in Pig Iron Prices.

Pittsburg, March 22.—Bessemer pig iron has advanced again, a sale of 5,000 tons having been made at $16.50 at the valley furnaces. This is equivalent to $17.25 a ton delivered in Pittsburg. The latest price is $4 a ton higher than was paid by the Carnegie Co. for the 150,000-ton contract placed two months ago. A comparison of prices now and in March, 1899, gives interesting results. Sheets are $16 a ton higher; billets $2 higher; plates $10 lower, and bars $2 higher.

A Postal Order.

Washington, March 22.—Acting Postmaster General Johnson has issued a general order prohibiting all renters of lock boxes and drawers at post offices throughout the country from using keys not regularly obtained themselves from their respective postmasters; and directing that after April 1 each postmaster shall inform the renters of lock boxes and drawers that all except regular manufacturers of post office furniture are enjoined from making or causing to be made any key or appliance for opening any lock box or drawer in a post office.

RIOTS AT MARSEILLES.

Strike of Dock Laborers Leads to Violence—Cavalrymen Charge a Mob.

Marseilles, March 21.—The situation here is very disquieting, owing to the increasingly aggressive attitude of the strikers. During the disorder yesterday the panic spread to the townspeople, and stores, restaurants and cafes were hurriedly closed. It was feared that the mob, which was charged by mounted gendarmes and hussars, would attempt to pillage.

A crowd numbering 2,000 burst through a cordon of infantry along the dock side. The cavalry charged and drove the strikers back. A volley of stones was then thrown in all directions and a brigadier, two gendarmes, a hussar and several infantrymen were injured. One gendarme was stunned, thrown from his horse and trampled upon by the cavalry.

The strikers are irritated at the refusal of the premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, to receive the socialist mayor of Marseilles, M. Flassieres, who sought to obtain government pressure to force the masters to negotiate, the masters having declined to do so on the ground that the strike was unjustifiable and a breach of a previous agreement.

Two hundred women, several with babes in arms, took part in Wednesday's demonstration, in spite of the rain. With the exception of the socialist organs the press shows little sympathy with the strikers. The public recognizes that the strike has already done an immense amount of injury and may completely ruin the port.

The government is in an extremely embarrassing position, especially M. Millerand, the minister of commerce, as the socialists demand that the government intervene in favor of the strikers and are disgruntled at the employment of troops. On the other hand the government is urged to take vigorous measures to secure the freedom of labor, especially in view of the fact that the foreign element, chiefly Italian, which preponderates among the striking dock laborers, is utterly indifferent to the fate of Marseilles.

ODELL DEFIES PLATT.

New York's Governor Says He Will Veto the Police Bill If the Legislature Passes It.

Albany, N. Y., March 21.—Gov. Odell has positively and formally declined to sign any police bill, and repudiated the new bill drawn by Senator Platt and his friends, and said last night that if the bill came to him he would veto it, even if it was made plain that it would be passed over his veto.

Frank Platt, son of Senator Thomas C. Platt, arrived here last night with the newly prepared bill. It provides for the reinstatement of the metropolitan police bill of 1857, but including some territory contiguous to New York City. It also provides that, without disturbing the present conditions in New York City, the governor shall appoint a commissioner, whose right to the office should be immediately questioned in the courts and who, in the interim, should not interfere with the present police arrangements in New York City. If the bill was declared unconstitutional then the state should at once assume control of the police.

Mr. Platt told the governor that the bill had been decided upon by those representing the republican organization and he desired a decision as to the governor's attitude on the measure. His suggestion was that the governor should send in a message suggesting the passage of the measure. The governor replied that he could not see the reason for such legislation now. He had repudiated special legislation in his annual message, and the party had agreed with him. He had signed a New York City police bill and the party had agreed with him. Finally he said:

"I will not send in a message urging such a bill. If possible I will remain on friendly terms with Senator Platt, but if such a bill comes to me I will veto it. If the legislature cares to take the responsibility of passing the bill over my veto, very well, but I refuse to be a man of clay and I will not stultify myself."

A HUGE COAL COMBINE.

Illinois Mine Operators Plan to Form a Monster Trust.

Springfield, Ill., March 21.A movement is said to be on foot among the leading coal operators of Illinois to consolidate the coal producing interests of the state into one mammoth combine. A meeting will be held in Chicago soon to perfect plans for consolidation. The object of the enterprise is to reduce expenses of production and to fortify the operators against the miners' organization, which has gained such a hold of late as to be able to assume dictatorial position in the matter of wages. The projectors of the plan will endeavor to absorb every mine in the state, either by purchase or consolidation.

The project contemplates the formation of a single company, with a capital of $75,000,000, controlling more than 900 mines throughout the state. The total product of these mines last year was in round numbers 30,000,000 tons and they gave employment to 37,000 men, not including official help.

Struck Oil.

Huntington, W. Va., March 21.—The first discovery of oil in the southern portion of this state was made yesterday in a 300-barrel oil well drilled at Milton, this county.

Will Give $5,000,000 to Philadelphia.

New York, March 21.—The World says: "Another magnificent gift from Andrew Carnegie will be announced within a few days. It became known yesterday that Mr. Carnegie has offered $5,000,000 to another American city for the purpose of building libraries. Philadelphia, it is understood, will be the next recipient of the iron master's bounty. It is believed that Mr. Carnegie has offered to build libraries aggregating $5,000,000 in value on conditions similar to those which accompany his offer to New York."

WITH GIANT STRIDES.

American Manufacturers Are Rapidly Gaining Pre-eminence in the World's Markets.

Washington, March 21.—In a report to the state department Consul General Guenther at Frankfort, Germany, submits a recent publication in which the Frankfort chamber of commerce calls attention to the growing American competition in the markets of the world.

The publication says that the harbor authorities of Calcutta advertised for bids on two locomotives. The lowest English bid was $7,349 for each one, the time of the delivery to be limited to nine months; the lowest American bid was $5,998, the time of delivery to be limited to six months. The American firm received the contract.

A recent contract for furnishing a large quantity of cast iron pipes for the Dutch colonies was awarded to an American firm, whose bid was nearly 25 per cent lower than German competition. Large orders for rails were placed recently in American hands from Holland. The English government has been obliged to give the Americans preference over their own works on account of the extremely low prices and the quick time of delivery.

The state department has received from Consul Halstead, at Birmingham, a report stating that the Birmingham Mail is responsible for the statement that English tube makers by excessive demands at the last bidding forced the Birmingham gas committee to purchase American-made tubing for fittings.

The British quotations, says the consul, were so high that an American firm succeeded in selling tubing "at a figure which no one in England could touch, and not only was the price cheap, but the quality was vastly superior."

Although the combination, says the consul, in conclusion, is not so strong this year, "so satisfactory has the American product proved that it will hardly be surprising if the gas committee, now ready for a new purchase, asks for tenders from America."

Chicago, March 21.—After devoting several months to personal observation and study of American railroads and the methods by which they are operated, E. Sonokichi and Y. Yamato, respectively traffic manager and mechanical superintendent of Japan's longest railroad, extending from Tokio to the northern extremity of the main island, have started back to the eastern empire. The locomotives found the warmest spots in the hearts of the Oriental officials. Mr. Sonokichi said that the American engines, which cost fully one-third less than those bought in England, did better work with the use of less fuel.

CENSUS FRAUDS.

Some Enumerators in Maryland Padded Their Lists with Names of Dead People.

Washington, March 21.—Regarding irregularities in the census enumeration in Maryland, Director of the Census Merriam said yesterday:

"I am amazed at the irregularities we have discovered. It is too late to change the figures of the tenth census, but it will be the policy of this office to punish the offenders. St. Mary's and St. Charles counties were the districts in which the worst irregularities occurred. In one county of one of the districts 500 names were wrongfully added by the enumerators. The total population, including the padded names, aggregated 18,136. The enumerator, S. F. Abell, was arrested Tuesday and his case will serve as a sample. The penalty is $5,000 fine and two years' imprisonment. The padded names included dead and non-residents. We will press all cases of this sort discovered anywhere, though it is too late to change the figures."

Policeman Abell, the man arrested, charged with making false returns while acting as a Maryland enumerator, waived examination in police court yesterday and was held for the grand jury in $1,000 bail.

SEALED INDICTMENTS.

Reported that They Have Been Returned Against Two Men for the Murder of a Millionaire.

Savannah, Mo., March 21.—A story is in circulation here to the effect that sealed indictments were returned by the special grand jury against two men for the murder of Millionaire Frank W. Richardson, who was killed at the door of his wife's bedroom on the night of December 24. It is said that the indictments will not be made public until after Mrs. Addie Richardson, who was recently indicted for murder in the first degree, shall have been tried for the crime.

It is alleged that Mrs. Richardson will give evidence against the two men if she shall be acquitted of the charge for which she has been indicted. Had the indictments been made public and the two men arrested when Mrs. Richardson was indicted, she could not, it is argued, have testified against them without turning state's evidence and sharing in their punishment. Mrs. Richardson is to be tried on May 27.

The Thornton's Trial Trip.

Norfolk, Va., March 21.—The torpedo boat Thornton, built by the Trigg Shipbuilding Co., of Richmond, Va., had her final trial trip yesterday over the course at Cape Charles. She showed a speed of 27 knots against a head sea and very strong winds.

Bishop Fowler's Prophecy.

Wheeling, W. Va., March 21.—The Washington conference (colored) of the M. E. church, with an attendance of 200 ministers from Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Maryland, Virginia and District of Columbia, opened its sessions here Wednesday, with Bishop Fowler, of Buffalo, presiding. Bishop Fowler, responding to the addresses of welcome, said that in 100 years there would be 100,000,000 negroes in the United States, even without immigration, and from that number an army of 20,000,000 could be raised.

HAS ONLY SHIFTED.

War Clouds Still Hang Over the Far East.

THE CZAR AND MIKADO.

They are Likely to Engage in a Struggle for Supremacy.

WANTS A SLICE OF KOREA.

Russia Covets the "Hermit Kingdom" and the Japs are Determined to Resist Any Attempt at Land Grabbing in that Direction.

London, March 23.—The foreign office takes a pessimistic view of the immediate future in the far east, in spite of the settlement of the Tien Tsin incident, and entertains grave fears that the relations between Japan and Russia may shortly reach the danger point.

Judging from information obtained in various official quarters in London, Japan has confided to some of the powers her determination to oppose at all costs any secret arrangements made between Russia and China by which the fomer could secure territorial or other advantages contiguous to Korea.

The British government has received no official confirmation that the Japanese fleet is mobilizing, but it would not be surprised to learn that such were the facts.

A highly placed British official said yesterday: "All Japan wants is a free hand against Russia. This she has got so far as England and Germany are concerned, and, I presume, so far as the United States government is concerned; although I do not imagine for one moment that any of the powers mentioned would be drawn into a war between Japan and Russia. If Japan sees nothing for it but to fight, she would have the moral support of objections committed to paper by at least two other powers against secret treaties with China. That is all; but Japan seems to consider it sufficient to provide against interference."

Confirmation of the foregoing definition of the situation is afforded by the secretary of the Japanese legation, who said:

"While rejoicing at the fact that England and Russia have reached a pacific settlement over the minor issue, the main question—the integrity of the Chinese empire—remains unsettled. In response to pressure brought by Japan upon Russia, it was announced that Russia's secret treaties with China had been modified; but the terms have been withheld. Until we see the treaties, we will not be satisfied that the modification does not consist of words merely, without alteration in the spirit. In this contention we believe other powers will support us."

It appears that Great Britain would be quite willing to refer the whole Manchurian matter to arbitration on the lines of the Hague conference. The Tien Tsin siding affair is not considered important enough to be disposed of in this way, and it will immediately become a matter of diplomatic interchange between St. Petersburg and London.

The Statist, after editorially discussing the possibilities of a conflict between Russia and Japan, says: "It is idle to deny that there is danger of complications. Nevertheless we think peace will be preserved and trust that Russia will give satisfaction to Japan in Korea, thus removing the danger of a rupture."

While holding these views, the Statist devotes a column of its financial notes to considering how a Russo-Japanese war would affect the money markets. It says that Russian securities would sell in Paris, which would possibly be able to sell a fair amount of them in New York. Russian credit, the Statist says, might possibly fall very low.

A New Counterfeit $5 Note.

Washington, March 23.—Chief Wilkie, of the secret service, announces the appearance of a new counterfeit $5 note on the National Iron bank, of Morristown, New Jersey. It is a deceptive counterfeit printed on two pieces of paper, between which silk fibre has been distributed. The face of the note is defective in detail. The word "cashier," abbreviated in the genuine to "cash'r," appears in the counterfeit as "cash."

Refused to Grant Pardons.

Washington, March 23.—The president yesterday denied seven applications for pardon and granted two petitions for the restoration of civil rights, remitted one and granted one pardon on account of ill-health. Among the applications denied was that of Joe Martin, convicted of murder in 1889 and sentenced to be hanged. His sentence was commuted to life imprisonment by President Harrison.

Ashore on French Reef.

Key West, Fla., March 23.—The Austrian steamer Styra, from New Orleans for Trieste, went on the rocks at French Reef, 40 miles south of Miami, Fla., on Thursday. Wreckers have gone to the assistance of the vessel.

Two Children Cremated.

Rock Island, Ill., March 23.—Fire yesterday in John Holling's farmhouse on Big Island, near the mouth of the Hennepin canal, destroyed the house, burned the children to a crisp and injured Mrs. Holling and her father. A third child is not expected to live.

Broad Defeats Corbett.

Denver, Col., March 23.—Kid Broad, of Cleveland, put out "Young" Corbett, of Denver, in the fourth round of what was to have been a ten-round fight before the Colorado Athletic association here last night.

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Ballot Reform Coming.

That the Legislature is to give the people a genuine ballot reform act is altogether probable, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. To draw up a measure that will suit all interests at Harrisburg is a difficult task. Several bills have been introduced, including those of the theoretical reformers, that of Senator Focht and finally one settled upon by the Democratic party leaders. The Focht bill, which was on the calendar, has been sent back to committee in order that it may be compared with the Democratic proposition and changes made if desirable.

The Focht measure is not radically different from the Democratic scheme, the principal point of difference being in the retention of the circle for straight party voting by Mr. Focht and its rejection by Col. Guffey. In both bills the names of candidates are grouped under the title of the offices for which they are running. In both, also, a candidate's name can appear but once on the ballot. If named by petition, that is to say nomination papers, the Guffey measure permits the names of the various parties that may indorse the nomination to appear after the name, which the Focht bill does not provide for. The Democratic bill commands the production of a ballot box whenever five citizens charge fraud. This latter proposition is taken from the platform of the Republican State convention of last year.

These are minor details over which there is not likely to be much haggling. It ought not to be difficult for both Republicans and Democrats to get together in a general way, but the contest is coming over the question whether, after printing the names of the candidates by the group system of the Australian ballot, an opportunity for voting a whole ticket by a single cross in a circle shall be given. On this point there are differences of opinion among the members of both parties. It seems a little hard to require a man to mark the name of each candidate in a long ticket. On the other hand it is held that voting is a duty as well as a privilege, and that a voter ought not to begrudge the time necessary for properly marking a ticket.

There will be much discussion of this circle business, and party lines will be broken. Pending that time the whole subject is back in committee for revision.

TREATMENT OF A COLD.

Some Good Advice by a Well Known Physician.

A well known physician says that a cold can be easily treated at its outset, but if neglected may lead to la grippe and pneumonia. He says that the best home treatment for the cure of colds and la grippe is Krause's Cold Cure Capsules. He uses them almost exclusively in his practice, as they do not affect the head as does quinine, nor upset the stomach.

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LOCAL INSTITUTE.

Convened at Emporium in High School Building, Saturday Morning, March 23, 1901.

The first session of the Teachers' Local Institute opened with song by the Institute, followed with devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. J. M. Robertson.

After a chorus by the High School, the first subject on the program, "History teaching," was discussed by Miss Bonham. History is the true story of man and his environments, socially, morally, physically. The subject should be considered under three heads: (1) Its educational value. (2) The teacher's requirements. (3) Methods of teaching. Since, as Shakespeare says, "the world's a stage, and the men and women merely players," the student should be led to view the stage from the highest, most unbiased points of view, so that they may see why the men and women have played the parts they have, and they will be the better able to take up their part of the drama, and enact it in the wisest manner.

Miss Bair then read a paper on the "Aim in primary reading." (1) Make a child quick in the recognition of words and letters. (2) Secure his interest in the contents, that he may be able to see the beauty, goodness and truth in the world's best literature. The reading of the paper was followed by a general discussion, opened by Mr. Peterson, of Sterling Run, and followed by Mr. Woodward and Miss Collins.

A vocal solo, by Miss Grace Lloyd, after which Miss Evers, of Beechwood, talked upon the "Teacher's duty to the backward pupil." Miss Evers was followed by Mr. Woodward, who continued the same discussion, defining the various reasons for backwardness. Dullness is as often due to a physical defect, as to a lack of mental power. Mr. Suhrie opened the general discussion by saying the tendency of late has been to give too much, rather than too little time to the backward pupil; that he should be made to think for himself, not to depend on someone else.

Miss Mazie Gallagher then played a violin solo, after which the Institute adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

The afternoon session was opened with a chorus by the High School.

Mr. Peterson talked upon "Waste of time in public schools." (1) Lack of parental authority. (2) Two many amusements. (3) Not enough respect to teacher's authority. The talk was to parents, teachers and directors.

School visitation was discussed by Mr. Woodward. It is important that teachers should become acquainted with parents, as well as pupils.

A piano duet by Misses Eva and Iva Leet, was followed by the discussing of the subject, "Literature in the pupil's life," by Mr. A. L. L. Suhrie. Success in teaching depends more upon the teacher's capability of appreciating good literature, than upon the number of books he has read, or the number of critics he has heard.

Mr. I. K. Hockley addressed the Institute, talking upon the "Relation of teacher and pupil." The parent instructs the moral, physical and spiritual being, while it is the teacher's special prerogative to teach the intellectual nature, and the work of the two inseparable.

Miss Edna Auchu played a piano solo, after which Mr. Josiah Howard talked upon the public schools meeting the demand of the business world. Power to think is power to achieve; the better the training the greater the power.

A violin solo was rendered by Miss Grace Walker.

The Institute adjourned at 4:15.

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Letter to E. W. Gaskill.

Emporium, Pa.

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Rich Valley.

Editor Press:—

S. S. Hacket commenced his log drive Monday.

Miss Ruby Lewis was on the sick list Wednesday.

P. S. Culver began his spring plowing on Monday.

Miss Orma Lewis visited friends at Elk Fork on Monday.

Mrs. Merrick Barker visited her parents, at Elk Lick, Tuesday.

Mr. Joseph Housler, of Lock Haven, visited in the valley last week.

Ye scribe visited Sizerville and other places of lesser note last week.

Miss May Moon closed a very successful term of school at Elk Lick, Tuesday.

It's quite a come down is it not, to have to walk home on the railroad with your honey. Can't ye get a rig?

Mr. Lafayette Lockwood is visiting his brother, who resides in New York state, this week.

MAGGIE.

Mason Hill.

Editor Press:—

Huntley Miller is at home this week.

He that takes all that he can get often gets more than he can take.

W. Ray Smith and wife visited with the latter's parents on Sunday.

Miss Maud Williams went to Wyside one day last week and returned next day.

Mrs. Wheaton, of Sinnamahoning, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hill, for a week.

Mrs. Jas. Russell is again troubled with her side. It is gathering again and she thinks it will now break inside.

"Of beasts it is confessed the ape comes nearest the human shape. Like man he imitates each fashion, and malice is his ruling fashion."

Sterling Run.

High wind and high water.

The log drivers returned home Friday morning.

John Libby made a flying trip to Ridgway last week.

Miss Grace Devling made a trip to Driftwood last week.

Mort Dininny and John Killeen left Monday for Sizerville.

Mrs. P. H. Mason visited her sister at Sinnamahoning last week.

Geo. Herrick and family visited his mother a few days this week.

A. R. Smith, of Driftwood, visited his brother who is ill at this place, Thursday.

Mr. Ed Whiting is very proud of a big boy, who came to his home to stay.

Miss Jennie Yocum, of Cameron, is visiting Miss Mabel Stephens of this place.

Mrs. T. F. Moore, who has been very ill for a few weeks is much better we are glad to learn.

Mrs. Smith of Driftwood, visited her mother, Mrs. Ben Dayton, of this place over Sunday.

Sir Knights Smith, Whiting, Wylie and Howlett attended the Maccabee convention at Ridgway, Wednesday.

The oyster supper given by the L. O. T. M., Friday evening, March 15th, was a success, in spite of the bad weather.

TRIXY.

Huston Hill.

Editor Press:—

Chas. Barr and wife passed over the Hill on Sunday.

A. M. Barr made a business trip to Benezette on Sunday.

C. L. Williams made a flying trip to Driftwood on Saturday.

O. M. Jordan, John Connors and C. C. Connors visited with their families over Sunday.

Miss Lelo Williams, who has been staying at Dents Run this winter, was at home over Sunday.

John Logue is all right but we can beat him. We would walk eight miles to prove a lie we told.

Serious trouble has broken out in the Elk county school at this place, causing considerable excitement as well as merriment to some of the people. A short time ago the teacher sent two children to their home for refusing to obey her orders. The parents returned one of the pupils, only to be again sent home. Blood was then up to fighting heat. The school directors were called to investigate the cause of the trouble and accordingly assembled last Wednesday to investigate. No one was present to place the teacher on the rack. The plaintiffs went to Squire Whiting, at Sterling Run, on Saturday, but he refused to hear the complaint. Attorney J. P. McNarney, of Emporium, was present to protect the interests of Miss Terby, the teacher. Yes, it would be pleasant, but impossible for some people to attend to their own business, so says C. J. Miller.

GUESS.

First Fork.

Editor Press:—

A. R. Berfield of Sinnamahoning is doing the stage driver's act, up First Fork, now.

Washington Bailey, who has been sick pretty much all winter, at Parker, Pa., is recovering.

Chas. Jones of Wharton is framing a new barn for Wm. Swanke, and we will soon have an old-fashioned barn-raisin' in town.

D. D. Colcord has returned from his visit to Potter county, and is again dispensing "clysters, blisters, powders and pills," to the ailing of this and adjoining townships.

Barclay Bro's have taken their log train off this railroad, and have gone back to Jerry Run again. We understand they are to start their mill this week, for the spring and summer campaign.

There was a good floating flood on, last week, although no log driving was done, as Barclay Bro's rear was up among the snow hills in Potter county, where the streams were no swollen much.

Log cutting is a little slow here this spring, though we understand that Brooks Run job has been let to a man by the name of Haley, of Bradford, Pa. Some parties have been looking over Norcross Run, but no contracts have been made for that yet. Ditto, Lorshbaugh Run.

Another old settler gone. John Logue died on Saturday afternoon, about 2 o'clock, after a long and painful illness, aged about 75 years. He leave a wife, three sons, a brother and two sisters to mourn his demise. He has always been a resident of this place. The funeral was held on Monday and interment was made in Gilmore cemetery at this place.

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Cameron.

Miss Esther Stewart visited in Emporium, Sunday.

J. R. Libby, of Sterling Run was in town on Tuesday.

W. McConnell transacted business in Emporium on Tuesday.

M. Phoenix transacted business at Emporium on Monday.

Miss Jennnie Yocum is visiting relatives at Sinnamahoning.

S. L. Bunce, of Sterling Run, was seen on our streets Wednesday.

John Schwab attended the teachers' institute at Emporium, Saturday.

Roy Smith arrived home Sunday from Huntley where he visited relatives.

Mrs. Fred Morse, of Emporium, is the guest of Wm. McVane and family.

M. L. McConnell, of Ridgway, was the guest of his parents over Sunday.

John Schwab, of the C. S. N. S., of Lock Haven, is home on a week's vacation.

Miss Lennie Gennie, of Emporium visited her parents at this place over Sunday.

D. A. Clark, of Johnsonburg, was in town last week, guest of John Clark and family.

L. C. Cowdriet left Monday for Cowley Run, where he expects to skid logs for Walter Moore.

Geo. Meyers, of Coudersport was in town this week, the guest of F. R. Lininger and family.

J. R. Strawbridge and Link Ebersole, of Sterling Run, attended K. G. E. session Saturday night.

Mike Kephart, of Sizerville was visiting in town this week, the guest of A. F. Walker and family.

Fred Comley, chairman of the liars' club, has been absent from the club for several weeks past on account of being laid up with rheumatism. We were glad to see him occupy the chair last session, from which he spun quite a few.

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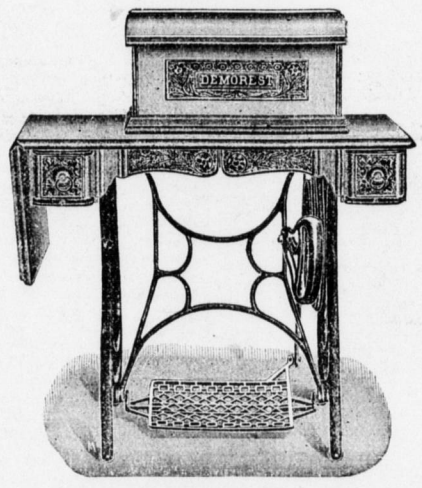

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And more than this he is an artist of marked ability and the pictures drawn by him on the stage are executed with marvelous precision, rapidity, dash and finish.

And again, last but not least, Maro is probably the greatest exponent of the art of shadowgraphy now before the public in which he produces life like silhouettes with his two wonderful naked hands.

After an evening with Maro one is unable to determine whether the versatile artist is most enjoyable as a magician, musician, artist or shadowgraphist for he is simply great in each of his four roles.

Judge Smith Failing.

Ex-Judge Samuel Smith, of Sterling Run, who has been in failing health for some time is rapidly failing and his death may be expected at any hour. John E. Smith, his son, was in town yesterday, attending a Bank meeting and informed the PRESS of these facts. Judge Smith is in his 77th year.

Rumors are afloat that the Dents Run Coal company has sold its entire coal territory to the Goodyear company, who own and operate the Buffalo and Susquehanna railroad. It is expected that they will extend their road from Sinnamahoning along Bennetts Branch to Dents Run and from there through the coal field.—Coudersport Enterprise.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postcard or letter, personally.

Riley Warner visited Port Allegany on Tuesday.

Rev. Metzler departed for Conference on Tuesday.

Hon. J. C. Johnson visited Coudersport on Monday.

Miss Grace McCaslin has been quite seriously ill for some time.

Miss Mayme Evans is visiting friends in Punxsutawney and DuBois.

Peter O'Malley is now engaged at the Furniture factory as engineer.

C. W. Shaffer transacted legal business at Williamsport on Monday.

Cashier T. B. Lloyd reports a very pleasant time at the Bankers' convention at Erie.

Miss Nellie Hogan has accepted a position in Mankey Manufacturing Company's office.

Mrs. Fred Lindsell, of Wilcox, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. John McInnes, several days last week.

Clyde Barner, of Emporium, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hevner in South Renovo.—Renovo News.

Mrs. Jesse H. Rippey returned home from a four weeks visit to her son Jesse, at Driftwood.—Renovo News.

Mrs. J. M. Johnston, of Austin, was guest of Mrs. Fred Julian, last Friday, on her return from Washington, D C.

Rev. J. M. Johnston, of Austin, stopped in Emporium over night, Monday, en route for Conference at Chambersburg.

T. F. Adams, ex-county commissioner of Centre county, was in Emporium on Tuesday, under the right wing of I. K. Hockley.

William Kresge has moved from DuBois to Emporium and has again resumed work at the Climax Powder Co.'s works.

Thomas McCarin, of Renovo, has been appointed to a clerkship in the P. & E. freight office at this place and intends moving his family here in the very near future.

J. G. Nyheart, of Beechwood, was an agreeable PRESS caller on Saturday last and planked down three "cart wheels" and as a result will read his own paper in the future.

E. C. Davison visited at Chambersburg, his old home, over Sunday. He returned home on Tuesday, accompanied by his wife, who has been visiting relatives there for some time.

Alfred Truman, formerly a resident of this county, visited in town last Friday, guest of Warner House. Mr. Truman has retired from business and spends his time traveling, at home and abroad.

Chas. Felt is quite seriously ill at his residence on West Fourth street. LATER—The attending physician, Dr. A. W. Baker informs the PRESS that he fears his patient will have a run of typhoid fever.

William McGee, proprietor of City Hotel, received a telegram on Monday conveying the sad intelligence of the death of his mother at Tunkannock, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. McGee left on Tuesday to attend the funeral.

J. H. Darrin, of Sterling Run, was in town on Tuesday, accompanied by that mysterious satchel. He has discovered a fence post that will last for two hundred years, and guarantees it because he has tried them.

We enjoyed a visit on Monday from friend John H. Day, who is somewhat on the grippe list, like ourself. Misery likes company—hence the visit. John is a wide-awake merchant, knows how to please his customers and attract new ones by original, catchy advertisements in the PRESS.

Our genial friend McLees, clerk in Rockwell's drug store, met with a painful accident on Sunday. Escaping gas severely burned his right hand when it came in contact with a lighted match. Not knowing the stove was filled with escaping gas, he lit a match and attempted to place it on the burner when the explosion to place.

Chas. H. Fry and E. A. Holden were in Emporium Monday and Tuesday on a business mission....Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cook from Emporium have moved in the pleasant rooms over the Carlson store in the Dalrymple block on Pearl street. They are the parents of Mr. and Mrs. Erve Shurts.—Port Allegany Reporter.

Miss Nellie Marsh, teacher of the Mason Hill school; Miss Eva Barr, teacher of Castle Garden school and Miss Ethel Barr, teacher of Huston Hill school, attended local institute at this place last Saturday. The ladies favored the PRESS office with a pleasant call. They are pleasant and very intelligent ladies.

E. R. Logue, a native of Gibson township, who left this county in 1881, and located in Superior, Wisconsin, where he is engaged in the furniture business, is visiting his relatives here for a few weeks. The gentleman was a PRESS caller on Monday and we found him a very pleasant conversationalist. He is interested in British Columbia mining interests and is disposing of some stock to his friends in this county.

Are you a "Buffalo?"

Mrs. J. C. Bonham visited Smethport last Thursday.

Miss M. S. Burkle is visiting her home in Pittsburg.

Major Moore will erect a residence on Fifth street, this spring.

W. H. Cramer is confined to his residence, tussleing with la grippe.

Chas. VanLew, contractor, is making repairs on the Garrity residence.

A. O. Swartwood is preparing to build a residence on West Fourth street.

Mrs W. H. Howard left this morning for Shenandoah City to visit her sister.

Jos. Troup will move his family to this place from Lebanon next month.

Miss Alfretta E. Hackett has been sick with la grippe but is better at this writing.

It is reported that Frank Mundy, better known as "Buzz" Mundy, died in Mexico.

Curtis Lord, of Williamsport, is now assistant clerk in C. B. Howard Company's office.

J. L. Fobert and bride will, after the 1st of April, occupy rooms over Mr. Larrabee's store.

William Robinson has purchased the dwelling owned by John Metzger, on West Fifth street.

Dent Smith and family have moved into the Sandy McDougal house, on West Fifth street.

Mrs. Julia Earl, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives in Emporium, guest of Mrs. J. P. McNarney.

Moses Minard is now night clerk at Warner House, Edwin Cook having returned to Port Allegany.

The McInnes family will locate in Corry, and expect to leave Emporium about May 1st, so we learn.

John Trebswether and family will, after April 1st, occupy the residence next door to Mrs. A. B. Mayze.

Rev. Dr. Clark, of Eldred, delivered a sermon on "Foreign Missions," in Emmanuel Church last evening.

Mrs. Lord, of Williamsport, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Kaye, has returned to her home.

County Treasurer C. M. Thomas has returned from Ligonier, where he was looking after his lumber interests.

D. W. Felt, who is in Florida, hopes to return to Emporium about the middle of April, fully restored to health.

Allen Baldwin has purchased E. C. Davison's vacant lot and intends erecting a residence thereon this summer.

Contractor J. W. Kriner has the contract to build a residence on the Warner vacant lot, West Fourth street.

Miss Annie VanValkenberg, of Wellsboro, Pa., who was visiting her sister at this place, returned home last Thursday.

Mrs. Mark Goss, who has been attending the funeral of a sister near Lock Haven, returned home last evening.

Alton Housler is the happiest man in Emporium over the arrival of that beautiful young daughter at his home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sykes and children, of Galeton, visited in Emporium over Sunday, guests of Mr. Geo. A. Walker and family.

F. W. Taylor, who has been spending the winter at Hyner, looking after Judge Wykoff's job, is at home visiting his family for a short time.

Geo. W. Bupp is able to be at his store again, after many months confinement. His friends hope he may be permanently restored to health.

Mr. M. F. Kiley and wife were transacting business in town yesterday. Mr. K. is superintending the erection of the mills on North Creek for Mr. D. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Phethorum and niece, Miss Clara Harbot, who occupy rooms over M. M. Larrabee's, will depart for their former home in Indian Territory within a few days.

Wm. G. Bair and wife have leased the E. M Mullin residence on Sixth street and are as busy as bees, getting ready to settle down to housekeeping, April 1st. They are very comfortably situated.

On Tuesday, Mrs. E. M. Newton, who had just returned to Emporium, received a telegram conveying the sad intelligence of the death of her eldest sister, Mrs. Steers, in New York, on Monday.

A. M. Crittenden, of Union City, has located in Emporium and accepted the management of E. E. Mulliner's Laundry. He is a practical laundryman, of many years experience, and a pleasant gentleman to meet.

"Fritz" Yonkers, for years in the employ of S. E. Murry, plumber, leaves next Tuesday for Marietta, O., where he accepts a more lucrative position. Fred is an excellent young man and we hope he may prosper in his new position.

The Old Reliable Clothier N. Seger, has some bargains to offer you.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine** Tablets the remedy that **cures a cold in one day**

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This is a domestic association operating through Central Pennsylvania. It is a little more than three years old with assets of nearly 500,000.00. Its dividends have been 6 per cent. on non-participating and 10 per cent. on full participating stock. It has had no losses and has an active demand for loans. It is strong, clean, vigorous and successful. Non-participating stock is sold at $100.00 per share, dividends 6 per cent., tax free. Full participating stock with 5 per cent. cash dividends if desired, at payments of 25 cents to $2.00 per month. Loans are made on a simple and definite plan; payments per $1,000.00 shares range from $10.00 per month to $27.50, time from 44 to 189 months.

Correspondence is desired from borrowers, investors, attorneys and persons desiring an agency. Literature on request. 4-4t

PROSPERITY HAS STRUCK US.

Every Emporium Industry Running Full Time.

Last Monday was ushered in to the pleasure of every well wisher of Emporium. The shrill and powerful whistles of the Emporium Irom Company, Elk Tanning Company, C. B. Howard Company, Mankey Manufacturing Company, Climax Powder Company, Emporium Milling Company, Emporium Machine Company and the Keystone Powder Company, in addition to a number of smaller industries, meant more than pen can describe. The pleasant sound of the steam monsters seemed to speak to the people. Those of our people who are early risers could have seen the wage earners depart from their homes by the hundreds, each bearing the "full dinner pail." Yes, every laboring man in Emporium that desires labor can secure it. During the past few years many of our mechanics left for larger cities and towns, where they secured labor, but now they are almost daily returning to their first love—Emporium. A gentleman informed us last evening that he had a pile of letters a foot high from former employees desiring to return.

Other manufacturing industries are forthcoming and already plans are made for the erection of two saw and shingle mills on North Creek that will give employment to a large force of laborers.

Emporium is on top and with our unexcelled railroad facilities should, and will, make more rapid advances. Let one and all of our citizens awake to the situation and work as we never have for the upbuilding of Emporium and Cameron county, for what aids Emporium helps the entire county. Encourage manufacturing. Invest your money at home. Move onward.

LOCAL NOTICES.

N. Seger the Clothier.

Latest in Hats at Jasper Harris'.

Rich and poor can be suited with carpets at LaBar's.

All kinds and grades of carpets at LaBar's.

See those Wilton velvet and Axminster carpets in LaBar's window.

PIGS FOR SALE—Lot of Chester White pigs, five weeks old.
J. P. BINGEMAN.

Just received at Balcom & Lloyd's "Salada" Ceylon Tea. Wholesome and delicious.

Canned Pine Apple in chunks, packed in Singapore, at Balcom & Lloyd's. Very Fine.

Don't pay exorbitant prices for clothes when you can get the best made and stylish fit at Jasper Harris' for less money.

Zinc and Grinding Make
Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand. tf

New styles in cut and pattern in all the new suitings just arrived at the popular Clothing House of N. Seger.

Have you noticed those new soft shirts at Jasper Harris'? The latest style, see?

Jasper Harris' opening trade has been excellent. His new and tasty store, as well as his carefully selected line of goods, catch the eye of the public.

ARE YOU SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OLD?—I will make every person in Cameron county, that is sixty-five years old, or over, one cabinet photograph free of charge. This offer is only good until the 1st of May. Take advantage of it at once. W. G. BAIR, Proprietor,
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SHAW'S PURE MALT has a marvelous dietetic value. While refreshing and pleasant to take, it helps assimilate of food.
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Be sure you are right, then go ahead—and you may know you are right when you enter N. Seger's store—so go ahead with your buying. All goods guaranteed.

CARPETS—CARPETS.—Ninety different patterns to choose from. All new and up-to-date. Call in and see them whether you want to buy or not; no trouble to show goods.
GEO. J. LABAR.

FOR SALE.—Having moved into Emporium and having no place to keep it, I desire to sell a seven months old St. Bernard and Collie dog. Price reasonable. S. B. DOLL.
East Emporium, Pa.

Do not drive nails in the wall to hang pictures on, but get some of the latest style room moulding at Schriever's Art Gallery. It is cheap and does not destroy the walls as nails do. Call and see my fine stock. W. G. BAIR. 5 2t

COURT PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS:—The Hon. CHAS. A. MAYER President Judge and the Hons. JOHN MCDONALD and GEO. A. WALKER, Associate Judges of Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron have issued heir precept bearing date the 26th day of January A. D., 1901, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas, in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 22d day of April, 1901, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 2 o'clock, p. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

Dated at Emporium, Pa., March 25, 1901, and in the 125th year of the Independence of the United States of America.
J. D. SWOPE, Sheriff.

Our Spring Clothing

Has arrived and we are ready for the Spring and Summer campaign.

During the past few months we have almost entirely closed out all left-over stock, therefore start in with an

Entirely New Stock.

READY-MADE CLOTHING, (Stylish make.)
ELEGANT LINE of FURNISHINGS,
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We are agents for the LION Brand Shirts and have recently received a very fine assortment of these celebrated

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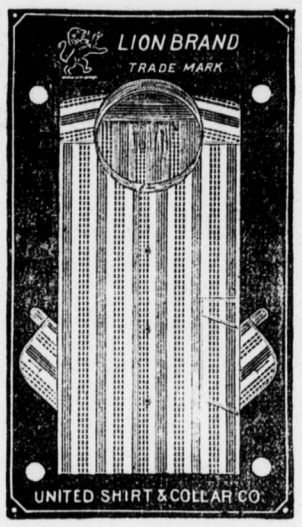

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We want every citizen of this county to call and inspect our present stock, feeling assured that you will be pleased.

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FRENCH PRUNES.

Genuine imported, large, per lb. 18c.

GOOD CALIFORNIA PRUNES.

80-90 size, clean and wholesome. SPECIAL, 6c lb. Friday and Saturday.

CANNED CORN.

New York state, Standard quality.
Per can, 8c.
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Special Friday and Saturday.

Try "Dill" pickles.

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We are better prepared than ever before to fill all of your wants. Having added to our stock a

Full Line of Groceries,

and have not neglected to add to the Dry Goods and Notion departments fresh and seasonable goods. Our Lace Curtain stock was never so complete as NOW. A full stock of muslins, prints, percales, ginghams and White Goods. An especially nice line of Black Dress Goods.

Dress and Work Shoes for Ladies Gentlemen and Children.

CARPETS AND MATTINGS, Oil Cloths, &c., &c. Come and see how well we will please you.

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$36. FINE BROADCLOTH CASKET, FUNERAL CAR AND SERVICES, $36.

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BERNARD EGAN, Manager,

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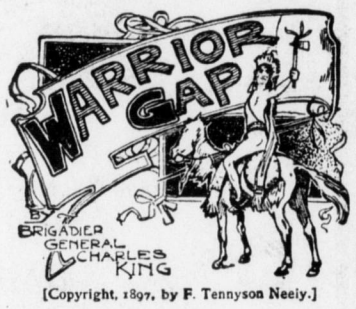
THE EVENING PRAYER.

Tired eyes are gently closing
As the twilight droppeth down,
Wrapping with the veil of slumber
Hill and valley, dale and town;
Softly little hands are folded
As the shadows closer creep—
Sinless lips of childhood murmur
"Now I lay me down to sleep."

Down life's pathway stretching onward
Lieth snares unseen, unknown,
Waiting for their coming footsteps—
But the Father guards His own;
And, as stainless as in childhood,
He will guide by pitfalls deep,
If, as now, they plead: "I pray Thee—
Pray Thee, Lord, my soul to keep."

Now the tender mother, listening,
Feels her pulses thrill with fear,
As she fancies, in the shadow,
Death, the dark-robed, lurking near;
And with throbbing heart she questions
How the sacrifice to make,
At the low words, scarcely spoken:
"Should I die before I wake."

Slumber now has almost won them,
Droops the lashes lower still,
While a sweet and holy presence
All the twilight seems to fill;
And the listening Saviour only,
As the words their lips forsake,
Hears the last half-uttered whisper:
"Pray—Thee—Lord—my soul—to take."
—Ettie Gilbert McNeil, in Ram's Horn.



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CHAPTER XXI.—CONTINUED.

It was an impressive scene as the old soldier read the sad details to the rapidly growing group of weeping women, for that was Emory's garrison now, while the official reports were hurried on to catch the general on his way to Cheyenne. Some one warned the band leader, and the musicians marched away to quarters. Some one bore the news to town, where the flags over the hotel and the one newspaper office were at once lowered to half staff, although that at Emory, true to official etiquette and tradition, remained until further orders at the peak, despite the fact that two of the annihilated companies were from that very post. Some one bore the news to Burleigh's quarters at the depot, and, despite assertions that the major could see no one and must not be agitated or disturbed, disturbed and agitated he was beyond peradventure. Excitedly the sick man sprang from his bed at the tidings of the massacre and began penning a letter. Then he summoned a young clerk from his office and told him he had determined to get up at once, as now every energy of the government would doubtless be put forth to bring the Sioux to terms. It was the young clerk who a few weeks back had remarked to a fellow employe how "rattled" the old man was getting. The major's doctor was not about. The major began dictating letters to various officials as he rapidly dressed, and what happened can best be told in the clerk's own words: "For a man too sick to see anyone two hours before," said he, "the major had wonderful recuperative powers, but they didn't last. He was in the midst of a letter to the chief quartermaster, and had got as far as to say: 'The deplorable and tragic fate of Lieut. Dean points, of course, to the loss of the large sum intrusted to him,' when I looked up and said: 'Why, Lieut. Dean ain't dead, major; he got in all right,' and he stared at me a minute as if I had stabbed him. His face turned yellow-white and down he went like a log—had a fit, I s'pose. Then I ran for help, and then the doctor came and hustled everybody out."

But not till late that night did these details reach "Old Pecksniff" at the post. A solemn time was that veteran having, for many of the women were almost in hysterics and all were in deep distress. Two of their number, wives of officers, were widowed by the catastrophe, and one lay senseless for hours. It was almost dark when Mr. Folsom and the girls drove homeward, and his face was lined and haggard. Pappoose nestled fondly, silently at his side, holding his hand and closely scanning his features, as though striving to read his thoughts. Jessie, comforted now by the knowledge that Marshall was rapidly recovering, and the words of praise bestowed upon him in the colonel's letters, was nevertheless in deep anxiety as to the future. The assurance that the Sioux, even in their overwhelming numbers, would not attack a stockade, was not sufficient. Marshall would be on duty again within a very few days, the colonel said. His wounds would heal within the week, and it was only loss of so much blood that had prostrated him. Within a few days, then, her loved brother would be in saddle and in the field against the Indians. Who could assure her they would not have another pitched battle? Who could say that the fate that befell the garrison at Warrior Gap might not await the troop when next it rode away? And poor Jess had other anxieties, too, by this time. Loomis was burning with eagerness for orders to lead it instantly to join the field column, and importuned Col. Stevens, even in the midst of all the grief and shock of the early evening. Almost angrily the veteran colonel bade him attend to his assigned duties and not demand others. "C" troop should not with his advice and consent be sent north of the Platte. "First thing you know, sir, after they've got all the troops up along the Big Horn you'll see the Sioux in force this side of the river, murdering right and left, and not a company to oppose them. No, sir, more than enough of that troop have already been sacrificed! The rest shall stay here."

And well was it, for one and all, that "Old Pecksniff" held firm to his decision. It was one of his lucid intervals.

Late that evening, after ten o'clock, there came the sound of hoofbeats on the hard road and the crack of a long-lashed mule-whip, and the fort ambulance clattered up to Folsom's gate, and the colonel himself, his adjutant by his side, came nervously up the gravel walk. Folsom met them at his door. Instinctively he felt that something new and startling was added to the catalogue of the day's disastrous tidings. Pecksniff's face was eloquent of gravest concern, mingled with irrepressible excitement.

"Let me see you in private, quick," he said. "Mr.—ah—Mr. Adjutant, will you kindly remain in the parlor," and, taking Folsom by the elbow, Pecksniff led impetuously into the library. The girls had gone aloft only a moment before, but, dreading news of further evil, Pappoose came fluttering down.

"Go in and welcome the adjutant, dear," said Folsom, hurriedly. "The colonel and I have some matters to talk of." Obediently, she turned at once, and, glancing up the stairs, noticed that Mrs. Fletcher's door must have been suddenly opened, for the light from her room was now streaming on the third-floor balusters. Listening again! What could be the secret of that woman's intense watchfulness? In the parlor the young staff officer was pacing up and down, but his face lighted at sight of Elinor.

"Do you know—Is there anything new?—anything worse?" she quickly asked, as she gave her slim young hand.

"Not concerning our people," was the significant answer. "But I fear there's more excitement coming."

Barely waiting for Elinor to withdraw, "Pecksniff" had turned on Folsom. "You know I opposed the sending of that party? You know it was all ordered on Burleigh's urging and representations, do you not?"

"Yes, I heard so," said Folsom. "What then?"

"You know he planned the whole business—sent 'em around by Canyon Springs and the Sweetwater?"

"Yes, I heard that, too," said Folsom, still wondering.

"You know some one must have put that Birdsall gang on the scent, and that Burleigh has had alleged nerve prostration ever since, and has been too ill to see anyone or to leave his bed."

"Yes, so we were told."

"Well, he's well enough to be up and away—God knows where, and here is the reason—just in from the north," and, trembling with excitement, Pecksniff pointed to the closing paragraph of the letter in his hand:

"Cords, seals and wrapping were intact when handed to the quartermaster, but the contents were nothing but worthless paper. It must have been so when given to Lieut. Dean."

Folsom's eyes were popping from his head. He sank into a chair, gazing up in consternation.

"Don't you see, man!" said Pecksniff, "some one in the depot is short $10,000 or so. Some one hoped to cover this shortage in just this way—to send a little squad with a bogus package, and then turn loose the biggest gang of ruffians in the country. They would have got it but for the storm at Canyon Springs, and no one would have been the wiser. They couldn't have got it without a murderous fight. No one would ever dare confess his complicity in it. No statement of theirs that there wasn't a cent in the sack could ever be believed. Some one's shortage would be covered and his reputation saved. The plot failed, and God's mercy was over Dean's head. He'd 'a' been murdered or ruined if the plan worked—and now Burleigh's gone!"

CHAPTER XXII.

Yes, Burleigh was gone, and there was confusion at the depot. At six the doctor had come forth from his room, saying he was better, but must not be disturbed. At seven the major, carrying a satchel, had appeared at his office, where two clerks were smoking their pipes, innocent of all thought of their employer's coming. It was after hours. They had no business there at the time. Smoking was prohibited in the office, yet it was the major who seemed most embarrassed at the unexpected meeting. It was the major who hastily withdrew. He was traced to the railway, and it was speedily found that he had sent word to the division superintendent that the general had telegraphed for him to join him at once at Cheyenne, and a special engine and caboose would be needed. At a quarter past seven this had started full speed. It was 11 when the discovery was made. Meantime Folsom and Stevens had consulted together. Folsom had told of the large sum he had loaned Burleigh and the conditions attached, and between them a dispatch, concisely setting forth their suspicions, was sent the general at Cheyenne, with orders to "rush," as they were determined if possible to head off the fugitive at that point. Back came the wire ten minutes before midnight that the general had left Cheyenne for Laramie by stage that evening, and must now be near the Chugwater and far from telegraphic communication. Then Stevens wired the sheriff at Cheyenne and the commanding officer of the new post of Fort Russell to stop Burleigh at all hazards, and at two in the morning the answer came that the major had reached Cheyenne about midnight and they would search everywhere for him. This was the last until long after the rising of another sun.

Events and excitements, alarms and rumors followed each other with startling rapidity during the day. In glaring headlines the local paper published the details of the massacre at the Gap, lauding the valor and devotion of the soldiers, but heaping abuse upon the commander of the post, who, with other troops at his disposal, had looked on and lifted no hand to aid them. Later, of course, it was proved that the veteran had foiled old Red Cloud's villainous plan to lure the whole garrison into the open country and there surround and slowly annihilate it, while then, or at their leisure later, his chosen ones should set fire to the unprotected stockade and bear off those of the women or children whose years did not commend them to the mercy of the hatchet. Soldiers and thinking men soon saw the colonel was right and that the only mistake he had made was in allowing any of the garrison to go forth at all. But this verdict was not published, except long after as unimportant news and in some obscure corner. The Laramie column, so the news ran, was hastening down the Powder river to strike Red Cloud. The Indians would be severely punished, etc., etc. But old Folsom's face grew whiter as he read that such orders had been sent and that the general himself was now at Laramie directing matters. "In God's name," urged he, "if you have any influence with the general, tell him not to send a foot column chasing horsemen anywhere, and above all not to follow down the Powder. Next thing you know Red Cloud and all his young men will have slipped around their flank and come galloping back to the Platte, leaving the old men and women and wornout ponies to make tracks for the 'heap walks' to follow."

And Stevens listened dumbly. Influence he had never had. Folsom might be right, but it was a matter in which he was powerless. When a depot quartermaster, said he, could dictate the policy that should govern the command of a colonel of the fighting force, there was no use in remonstrance. Noon came and no news from the Cheyenne sheriff. The commanding officer at Russell wired that he, too, was stripped of his troops, and had not even a cavalry courier to send after the general with the startling news that Maj. Burleigh had vanished with large sums, it was believed, in his possession. At one o'clock came tidings of the fugitive. He, together with two other men, had spent the late hours of the night at the lodgings of one of the party in Cheyenne, and at dawn had driven away in a "rig" hired at a local stable, ostensibly to follow the gen-

The major hastily withdrew.

eral to Laramie. They had kept the road northwestward on leaving town—were seen passing along the prairie beyond Fort Russell, but deputies, sworn in at once and sent in pursuit, came back to say the rig had never gone as far as Lodge Pole. At six p. m. came further tidings. Lieut. Loring, engineer officer of the department, had reached Cheyenne and was in consultation with the commanding officer at Russell. The rig had been found at Sloan's ranch, far up Crow creek, where the party had taken horses and ridden westward into the Black Hills. In anticipation of a big reward, the sheriff had deputies out in pursuit. From such information as they could gather it was learned that the name of one of the parties gone with Burleigh was Newhall, who claimed to be a captain in the army, "out there looking after investments"—a captain who was too busy, however, to go and see the few fellows of his cloth at the new post and who was not known to them by sight at all. The engineer, Mr. Loring, was making minute inquiries about this fellow, for the description given him had excited not a little of his interest.

And so the sun of the second day went down on Gate City and Emory, and everybody knew Burleigh was gone. The wildest rumors were afloat, and while all Fort Emory was in mourning over the tragedy at Warrior Gap, everybody in town seemed more vividly concerned in Burleigh and the cause of his sudden flight. As yet only certain army officers and Mr. Folsom knew of the startling discovery at the stockade—that the package was a bogus affair throughout. But all Gate City knew Burleigh had drawn large sums from the local bank, many citizens had heard that John Folsom was several thousand dollars the poorer for his sudden going, and all interest was centered in the coming from Chicago of an expert summoned by wire, to open the huge office safe at the quartermaster's depot. The keys had gone with Burleigh. At the last moment, after loading up with all the cash his own private safe contained, for that was found open and practically empty in its corner of his sitting-room, and when he had evidently gone to the office to get the funds there stored, he was confounded by the sight of the two employes. He could have ordered them to leave and then helped himself, but conscience had made coward of him, even more than nature. He saw accusers in every face, and fled. Burleigh had lost his nerve.

Two days went by and excitement was at its height. All manner of evil report of Burleigh was now afloat. The story of the bogus package had been noised abroad through later messengers and dispatches from the Gap. Lieut. Loring had come to Fort Emory under the instructions of the department commander, and what those instructions were no man could find out from the reticent young officer. If ever a youth seemed capable of hearing everything and telling nothing it was this scientist of a distinguished corps that frontiersmen knew too little of. What puzzled Folsom and old Pecksniff was the persistence with which he followed up his inquiries about Capt. Newhall. He even sought an interview with Pappoose and asked her to describe the rakish traveler who had so unfavorably impressed her. She was looking her loveliest that evening. Jessie was radiant once more. A long letter had come from Marshall—sad because of the fate that had befallen his companions, stern because of the evidence of the deep-laid plot that so nearly made him a victim, but modestly glad of the official commendation he had received, and rejoicing over the surgeon's promise that he could be well enough to make the march with a command ordered back to Frayne. Red Cloud's people had scattered far and wide, said he. "God grant they may not turn back to the south." He was coming home. He would soon be there. The papers had told their readers this very morning that the general had plainly said his force was too small to risk further assault upon the Sioux. Alarmed at the result of its policy, the bureau had recommended immediate abandonment of Warrior Gap and the withdrawal of the troops from the Big Horn country. The war department, therefore, had to hold its hand. The Indians had had by long, long odds the best of the fight, and perhaps would be content to let well enough alone. All this had tended to bring hope to the hearts of most of the girls, and Loring's welcome was the more cordial because of this and because of his now known championship of Marshall's cause. From being a fellow under the ban of suspicion and the cloud of official censure, Marshall Dean was blossoming out as a hero. It was late in the evening when Folsom brought the young engineer from the hotel and found Elinor and Jessie in the musicroom, with Pecksniff's adjutant and Loomis in devoted attendance. It was nearly 11 when the officers left—two returning to the fort, Loring lingering for a word with Folsom at the gate. The night was still and breathless. The stars gleamed brilliantly aloft, but the moon was young and had early gone to bed. A window in the third story softly opened, as the two men stopped for their brief conference—the one so young-looking, sturdy and alert, despite the frost of so many winters; the other so calm and judicial, despite his youth.

[To Be Continued.]

HUNTING OSTRICH NESTS.

Hidden Deep in the Desert Sand They Are Extremely Hard to Find.

Although the skin of an ostrich is worth from $40 to $100 on the spot, the hunter of the desert usually prefers to search for the eggs when he has discovered an ostrich in flight. An English traveler in the Sahara, Mr. H. B. Tristram, describes this search, says Youth's Companion.

"Once, and once only, I had the good fortune to take an ostrich's nest, although fresh eggs were not infrequently brought in by the Arabs. We observed with our telescopes two birds standing for some time in the same spot, and were induced to ride toward them. They rapidly scudded off, but on intersecting their track we turned back and retraced it instead of continuing a vain pursuit.

"An ostrich's track is by no means easy either to follow or to retrace, for his stride measures, when he is at full speed, from 22 to 28 feet; and the oblong impression of two toes at so wide intervals affords no very evident track to any eyes less expert than those of a Bedouin huntsman.

"We retraced the impression to the spot where we had seen the birds standing together, and where the sand was well trodden down. Two Arabs at once dismounted and began to dig with their hands, and presently they brought up four fresh eggs from a depth of about a foot under the warm sand.

"Ostrich-egg omelet we always found a most welcome addition to our desert bill of fare, and a convenient and portable provision, for from the thickness of the shell the eggs keep perfectly sweet and fresh for a fortnight or three weeks."

New Light on History.

Nero, fiddle in hand, sat upon his throne when a little band of captives was led before him.

"Now," he roared, in royal tones, "you have your choice between hearing me play a study in cadenzas with the middle finger on the E string, or being burned alive at the matinee at the Coliseum."

"Bring on your torches," shouted the desperate captives.

Later on Nero fiddled, and burned things, and conducted himself in an outrageous manner.

"I hate to do this," he explained, "but they depend on me for some warm scenes in 'Quo Vadis.'"—Baltimore American.

Very True.

Says an old bachelor: "Before taking the leap through the wedding ring a man should be sure the net of connubial bliss is properly stretched on the other side."—Chicago Daily News.

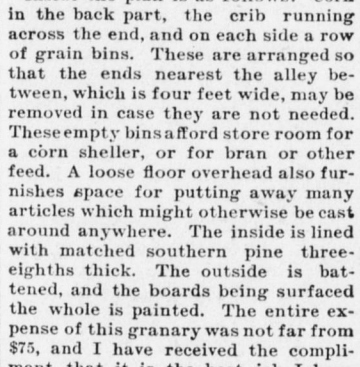
AN IMPROVED GRANARY.

Up-to-Date Storehouse for Corn Which Is Absolutely Safe from Encroachments by Vermin.

The dimensions of my granary—you see I have got past the corn crib period entirely—are as follows: Length, sills, 18 feet; plates, 20 feet; width, 14 feet; total length of posts, 12 feet; height of floor from the ground, 3½ feet. These dimensions may vary, according to the amount of grain to be stored. Wide strips of tin shield the tops of the posts from the invasion of rats and mice.

Inside the plan is as follows: Corn in the back part, the crib running across the end, and on each side a row of grain bins. These are arranged so that the ends nearest the alley between, which is four feet wide, may be removed in case they are not needed. These empty bins afford store room for a corn sheller, or for bran or other feed. A loose floor overhead also furnishes space for putting away many articles which might otherwise be cast around anywhere. The inside is lined with matched southern pine three-eighths thick. The outside is battened, and the boards being surfaced the whole is painted. The entire expense of this granary was not far from $75, and I have received the compliment that it is the best job I have done in the way of building, and I have spent a small fortune in that line. In fact, it pleases me exactly. I never have seen but two mice in this granary, and those I carried in with empty bags; and, as may be supposed, I was on nettles until they had been found and settled with. I got the cat as quick as I could and entered upon the most exciting hunt I ever took part in. It beat the famous fox hunts of the city folks who come out to kill time all hollow. And I succeeded, which is more than the city chaps who hunt for the fun of the thing can often say.

In my granary I keep my corn knives, corn ties and bags—everything, in fact, that concerns corn and garden stuff. The satisfaction of knowing that what I raise is now free



GRANARY AND CORN CRIB.

from the encroachments of vermin is fully sufficient of itself to amply repay all my trouble. But the return in dollars and cents far surpasses one's belief. If we could see the amount of money which is wasted every year through poor granaries all brought together it would startle us. Every farmer knows that he suffers seriously from year to year, but most of us have come to take it as a matter of course. But really it is one of the leaks which help to sink the ship.—Edgar L. Vincent, in Farm and Fireside.

GRADE UP THE FLOCK.

Start Right by Getting a Good Rooster, One That Has Been Bred Right and Is Right.

Have you got that strong, vigorous cockerel to grade up your flock, to increase the egg yield and build up the size of the birds you sell to market? It is quite time the bird was in the breeding pen, becoming acquainted with his mates and preparing for the spring's duties.

It is an old and familiar axiom that the male is half the pen. He may be mated to a dozen females, hence the chicks have any one of a dozen mothers, but he is the father of all and imparts his vigor and personality to all the chicks.

Not only should this head of the family be a pure-bred male, but he should be a bird of real merit, bred with care and for a purpose. Such a bird has the power to reproduce himself and will certainly improve next season's flock. A well-bred cockerel, one bred from meat producing and egg laying ancestry, will decidedly improve the laying qualities of the pullets and increase the size as well.

It is a common mistake to breed from anything left over from the holiday killings, because nothing else is at hand. Don't repeat that mistake this year. Start right by getting a good male bird, one that has been bred right and is right; and his cost will be returned to you many times over in the laying vigor of his pullets and increased size of the chickens marketed. Get a pure-bred male for this year's breeding; get him now.—Practical Farmer.

Oil Cake for Old Hens.

For invigorating a lot of old hens which are slow in responding to the efforts to make them produce winter eggs, we know of nothing better than a spoonful of oilcake meal three times a week. If the hens in the meantime have not been overfed with grain a change in their appearance and actions will be noticeable within a week. There will be an added liveliness of motion, a more erect carriage and a general appearance of thriftiness which will presage a coming harvest of eggs. Other things being about right, this will seldom fail to bring the sluggish old hens to time.—Farmers' Voice.

FARMING IN WESTERN CANADA

The Great Natural Fertility of the Soil in Manitoba, Assiniboia, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

What Has Been Done by Premier Greenway, Himself a Leading Farmer.

Hon. Thomas Greenway, Premier of the Province of Manitoba, one of the foremost farmers of Western Canada, writes an excellent article to the press, from which the following extracts are made:

The writer came to Manitoba from Ontario in the autumn of 1878, and has ever since been engaged in agricultural pursuits. From the day, nearly 22 years ago, when he selected his homestead, he has had unbounded faith in the country as a place where farming can be successfully carried on, if pursued upon proper lines. There is a large number in this Province who should rather be called "wheat-growers" than farmers. On account of the facilities, natural advantages, and therefore cheapness with which wheat can be grown, no doubt many have done exceedingly well by raising wheat only; still, it is far from ideal farming. Not only will such a course, if persisted in, have the effect of causing the land to run out, as has been the experience of those who pursued the same plan in the wheat-producing prairie States to the south of us, but it is far from being the most profitable course to adopt.

This fact is already being demonstrated in Manitoba. Let the farms in this Western country be managed upon the lines which were successful in the Eastern Provinces, and much more can be done here in a given time than was ever done in the East. The probabilities of failure are practically nil. Upon the farm there should be found horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry, according to the ability of the farmer—with respect to his means and the extent of his holding. The wanton waste which has hitherto been practiced by many farmers, that of burning vast quantities of excellent fodder after threshing is done, should cease; it should all be used upon the farm and converted into the old, sensible kind of fertilizer manure, and afterwards be returned to the soil, so that what has been taken from it by the crop may be restored. Although admitting that the great natural fertility of the soil in Manitoba and the success that has attended the growing of wheat for years upon the same land have a tendency to make such a course as the one mentioned tempting, yet, if continued, wheat-growing upon the same land year after year is undoubtedly a mistake.

The writer knows of no country that offers advantages so great to the agriculturist as does Manitoba. The vraious branches of farming can be carried on successfully, as twenty-two years of practical operations and observations of what others are doing have proven. To those desiring to make new homes for themselves, the low price of some of the best lands in the world (although rapidly advancing in price this year) offer still great opportunities. To all such the invitation is cordially given to "Come and See." There need be no poor people here. There is land for all who choose to come, land upon which happy homes can be established, and from which ample resources can be gathered against old age. All that a man needs to achieve competence in this domain is common-sense and industry. With these qualifications he is bound to succeed. For information regarding free homestead lands, apply to any agent of the government whose advertisement appears elsewhere in these columns.

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February 12th and each Tuesday thereafter, until and including April 30th, Special Low Rate Colonist Tickets will be sold via the Southern Pacific's Company's "Ogden" and "Sunset" Routes to all points in California. The rate will be: From Chicago $30.00, from St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans $27.50, from Omaha, Kansas City, etc., $25.00. Corresponding low rates from all other points east and north.

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Pride is the fog that surrounds insignificance.—Chicago Daily News.

Proof of the Pudding.

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Many a man is toasted who needs to be roasted.—Atchison Globe.

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A dog's tail is something of a wag.—Chicago Daily News.

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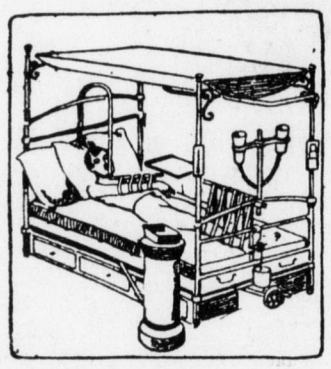
When suffering from Croup, Coughs, Colds and Bronchitis by using Hoxsie's Cough Cure promptly. No opium. No nausea. 50 cts.

BED FOR HOSPITALS.

Provisions Made for Treatment of Numerous Diseases and Also for Surgical Work.

The illustration shows a specially constructed bed adapted for use in hospitals, provision being made for treating numerous diseases and also for surgical work. A cooling tank is provided which contains ice and wa-



IMPROVED HOSPITAL BED.

ter, and this can be brought in proximity with any portion of the body while the remainder is given hot treatments by other appliances. The special function of the cooling tank is to regulate the temperature of a pyretic or febrile patient—as, for instance, in spinal meningitis, pneumonia, typhoid fever and all forms of eruptive diseases, where bodily temperature plays such an important role. In spinal meningitis and typhoid it may be necessary to apply heat to the spinal column and neck of the patient to produce muscular relaxation, while the general temperature is reduced by the application of the cooling apparatus to other parts of the body. The mattress of the bed is adapted to be inflated with hot water or air, and in order to maintain the water at the required temperature the mattress is connected with the water heater in proximity to the bed by means of a pipe. It will be noticed that supports for a fractured arm or leg are also provided, as well as a thermometer, writing tablet, holder for medicine glasses, etc. The designer of the appliance is Adolfo Luma, of Chicago, Ill.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

HUNDRED YEARS HENCE.

The Fearsome Future Woman to Whom the English May Be Expected to Look Forward.

This is what the writer in one of the English magazines predicts will be the state of affairs when another century rolls around:

"By that time women will be all six feet in height, many of them considerably over, while the average height of a man will be five feet nothing. Woman will be strong and lusty; broad and heavy in build, and will be very proud of her large feet, thick wrists, powerful limbs and great muscular development, while men will have grown vain of their trimly-corseted waists, nice pink and white complexions and soft voices.

"Love will not have been completely done away with, though sentiment will have given away to common sense. Every woman will be required to marry and support two husbands, one of whom must be a useful, domesticated creature, capable of tending the children and looking after the household (while the wife is away in the city earning good money to keep the home together), and the other will be a better looking, and therefore more ornamental creature (not a 'general utility' man like the 'housekeeper'), whose duties will be to act as companion or 'gentleman help' to the mistress and ruler of the mansion, and keep things up to the mark generally.

"Women a century hence will all wear 'bloomers,' both literally and figuratively speaking; any woman transgressing by appearing in a long-tailed skirt will be condemned to act as public street scavenger for as long a period as the local council shall determine. Women will also wear a mustache, and the faces of men will gradually become smooth. Cooks will no longer be at a premium, as tiny tabloids of food will take the place of the elaborate dishes of the past. We shall be able to get through a six-course dinner in about two minutes, a tabloid for each course, or, if we prefer it, we can have, multum in parvo, a tabloid with everything compressed and condensed into one harmonious whole."

A Moderate Wedding Outfit.

A moderate outfit for a bride would be a good street costume, several odd bodices, a black skirt, a silk gown and a house gown. These, with the clothes which she already has, entirely renovated and remodeled, and a sufficient amount of neatly-made underclothing is all that any girl in moderate circumstances needs for her trouseau—even less would be in order.—Emma M. Hooper, in Ladies' Home Journal.

An Effective Compromise.

Little Daisy's aunt had given her a doll so dressed that she couldn't tell whether it was a girl or a boy. She looked at it in great perplexity for a few minutes and then said: "Never mind, little boy; be a good girl."

FEEDING THE BABY.

All Milk Given to Little Children Should Be Sterilized, and Seasoned Just a Little Bit.

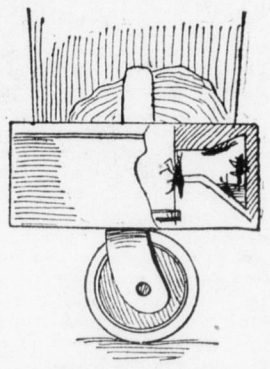
There has been a great change for the better in the feeding of little children in the last score of years. Far more children who are deprived of their mothers' milk thrive on artificial feeding than formerly. This is chiefly due to the process of sterilization. All milk fed to infants or little children who live largely on milk should be sterilized. This should be done to destroy impurities which the milk may receive from contact with the air and from vessels which hold it, as well as to destroy germs of typhoid fever, tuberculosis or other diseases which may be received from the cow. The importance of sterilization, therefore, cannot be insisted upon too strongly. Apparatus is sold for this purpose, so that it may be easily accomplished in any kitchen with little trouble. Formerly the milk of one cow was insisted upon. Some authorities object to this, preferring a child should be fed from a mixture of the milk of different cows.

There is more salt and sugar in human milk than in cow's milk. A very little loaf sugar and a little salt should be added to milk given to an infant. A safe rule for feeding little infants is to boil a teaspoonful of powdered barley and a little salt in a gill of water for 15 minutes. Strain the mixture through a fine strainer which is kept for the purpose and sterilized every time it is used. Add to this mixture as much cow's milk and a little sugar. This preparation can be taken from a bottle. Sometimes oatmeal must be substituted for barley. Use oatmeal in place of barley if the child's bowels are not as open as they should be. For a very young child physicians generally recommend cow's milk, weakened only with water. If it sours on the stomach, as it may, make a very thin, transparent mucilage of the best gum arabic and milk, sweetened and flavored with a little salt, and give the child a little. It is a simple, harmless medicine.—N. Y. Weekly.

TRAP FOR COCKROACHES.

Pennsylvania Man Has Invented a Contrivance That Keeps Them Off the Dining Table.

To find a roach crawling on the dining table fills the heart of many a housewife with disgust, and she is tempted to kill him instantly, which,



BUG TRAP FOR TABLE LEGS.

of course, soils the cloth. The best way is to prevent the pests from climbing up the table legs, and that is just what the invention of P. J. McAtee, of Gilberton, Pa., is designed to accomplish. We illustrate the idea in the accompanying picture, a portion of the trap being cut away to give a view of the interior arrangement. The bug who climbs this table leg must not only know how to swim, but also be able to find his way out of the trap when once inside, and the chances of his reaching the top are small indeed. The slanting upper wall of the trap is highly polished, and this causes many of the insects to fall into the liquid as soon as they attempt to crawl across it. The liquid may be kerosene or some poison, making it impossible for the insects to long survive a bath in the trap. The invention may be used on tables, beds, dressers, and, in fact, any article of furniture on which castors are used, as it comprises a castor with an extra long shank, having the trap surrounding the lower portion and adapted to support the leg as shown.—Chicago Daily News.

BOSSY'S EXPLOSIVE CUD.

Cow Swallowed a Bunch of Firecrackers and Matches and Made a Show of Herself.

A peculiar circumstance happened near Rochester, N. Y., not long ago, where a gentleman was spending a few days with his family. The fences were down so that the cattle could roam at will along the lake shore, and in doing so one cow came across a small package which she began to devour with a relish.

Suddenly there was noticed by the occupants of the cottage a flash and then a loud report. Fire flashed out of the mouth of the cow, which made a desperate attempt to get rid of something unusual to her as a diet. The onlookers were established as well as the cow, and the latter, with a great gulp, swallowed what had created the rumpus in her mouth and all was quiet again. The solution of the matter was that the animal had gathered in her mouth while browsing a small package of firecrackers and parlor matches mixed, which had been thrown down by visitors, and in chewing the stuff had set one of the matches ablaze. This in turn fired a firecracker, and hence the explosion which astonished the people and the cow.

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"Why is it called 'pin money?'" his wife asked of him. "I don't know, unless it is because the husbands are always stuck for it."—Philadelphia Times.

The Doctors Were Not in It.

Not long ago, when Mr. C. B. McKebbin was living in Spencerport, New York, he wrote: "Your Lotion has cured me of Barber's Itch of twelve months' standing, after trying every other known remedy and numerous doctors without benefit." Many others have written of similar experiences and all recommend Palmer's Lotion as the only reliable remedy to be used in like cases, and in fact for every kind of virulent cutaneous disease. If your druggist happens not to have it, send to Solon Palmer, 374 Pearl Street, New York, for samples of Palmer's Lotion and Lotion Soap, which will be promptly sent you.

"I shouldn't work so hard," protested the gold brick solicitor, "if other people didn't work so hard!"—Detroit Journal.

Homeseekers Excursion.

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round-trip excursion tickets from Chicago, Milwaukee and other points on its line to a great many points in South Dakota, North Dakota and other Western and Northwestern States at about one fare. Take a trip west and see the wonderful crops and what an amount of good land can be purchased for a little money. Further information as to rates, routes, prices of farm lands, etc., may be obtained by addressing F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Sometimes we envy the prosperity of a wicked man, little knowing how the wicked man envies us.—N. Y. Herald.

Wonderful Yield of Speltz.

Blanchard Bros., Chaffee Co., Colo., write to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., who are the introducers of this remarkable grain and hay food, Speltz, saying: "We have just threshed 182 bus. of Salzer's Speltz from the 100 pounds of seed you sent us last spring. The neighbors all think it is wonderful. Nearly all of the 182 bus. sold at $2.00 for seed. Speltz and Alfalfa are our money makers." Every farmer should try a few acres of Speltz. Write to Salzer to-day. [K.]

Don't whistle; it takes the attention of the people from their own affairs in wondering what tune you are trying to hit.—Atchison Globe.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

The plaintiff and defendant in a lawsuit are like two boys ducking their heads in a tub of water—each daring the other to remain under the longest.—Chicago Daily News.

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Watches and rivers seldom run long without winding.—Chicago Daily News.

Cure your cough with Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar.
Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

Never Looked for Trouble.

"We went to New Orleans by way of Hot Springs and Texas," said the girl who came home yesterday decked with the green and orange and purple of the carnival colors. "Leaving Hot Springs we changed cars at a place called Malvern. The porter was polishing my boots as we came into the station where we were to wait for the train. The name seemed familiar to me. Then I recalled Bret Harte's poem:

"'Is Malvern hill near here?' I asked.

"'I can't say, madam,' he answered, politely. 'I ain't never heard of Malvern hill.'

"'Never heard of it?' I said. 'Why, there was a great battle fought there.'

"'Lately?' he inquired.

"'No,' I said, 'during the civil war. Why, it was at Malvern hill that the colored troops fought so gallantly. I should think that every colored man would know about that.'

"He looked up at me, seriously, almost reprovingly:

"'Madam,' he said, 'I never inquires into trouble. I ain't never been a man of war.'"—Washington Post.

What He Wanted.

"Now," said the celebrated designer, who had been called in by the new billionaire to talk over plans for a $500,000 yacht, "we have come to an understanding concerning the size of the craft, but what about the bulwarks and hatchways?"

"Bull works!" exclaimed Mr. Wadhams; "I don't want no bull works. This ain't a-goin' to be no cattle ship, and as for hatchways, gol durn it, I don't want any of 'em aboard. Just you see about a place fer a good big ice box, and don't pay no 'tention to incubaters or anything of the kind. No chicken on this boat! I want you to understand b' gosh that I don't eat nothin' cheaper'n quail with feathers on now days!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

Tess—"He's awful handsome, don't you think?" Jess—"Handsome is that handsome does. He had the impertinence last night to tell me that he was going to kiss me the first chance he got, and—" Tess—"Weren't you indignant, though?" Tess—"I should say. He didn't keep his promise."—Philadelphia Press.

It Cures Coughs Colds, Croup, Sore Throat, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Price, 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

Between Feminine Friends.

"He kissed me," said the girl in gray, with a giggle.

"I am not surprised," returned the girl in blue, sweetly. "He told me he had been doing penance."—Chicago Post.

The friends that wealth makes are as the quicksands, but the friends of poverty are like the fixed stars in Heaven.—N. Y. Herald.

THE DUTY OF MOTHERS.

What suffering frequently results from a mother's ignorance; or more frequently from a mother's neglect to properly instruct her daughter!

Tradition says "woman must suffer," and young women are so taught. There is a little truth and a great deal of exaggeration in this. If a young woman suffers severely she needs treatment, and her mother should see that she gets it.

Many mothers hesitate to take their daughters to a physician for examination; but no mother need hesitate to write freely about her daughter or herself to Mrs. Pinkham and secure the most efficient advice without charge. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. August Pfalzgraf, of South Byron, Wis., mother of the young lady whose portrait we here publish, wrote Mrs. Pinkham in January, 1899, saying her daughter had suffered for two years with irregular menstruation—had headache all the time, and pain in her side, feet swell, and was generally miserable. Mrs. Pinkham promptly replied with advice, and under date of March, 1899, the mother writes again that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured her daughter of all pains and irregularity.

Nothing in the world equals Mrs. Pinkham's great medicine for regulating woman's peculiar monthly troubles.

ALARMING MORTALITY.

Noticeable Among the Weak and Ailing.

Spring the Time Death Reaps Its Largest Harvest.

There is a Way of Eluding the Grim Destroyer.

Every Spring it is noticeable how many people are taken away that we have been accustomed to see in our daily life.

Statistics show that at no other season of the year does so many deaths occur.

Especially large is the mortality among weak and sickly people.

The reason for this is apparent. The body that is weakened by age or disease has much to contend with during the Winter months. Insufficient exercise frequently has been taken. Too much starchy and fatty foods have been eaten. The system has been allowed to become run down, and when Spring comes with its bright, sunshiny days, older people will begin to realize that their vitality has become very low. The same thing is true of people who are naturally sickly and weak.

This is the season of the year when even a strong person feels at his worst. That tired, restless feeling is experienced by too many.

There need not be as many deaths this year as usually take place. A little care will ward off many Spring funerals. If one is weak or ailing they should take time by the forelock and take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. This great medicine has been in many cases, and will continue to be, the means by which the black angel of Death has been driven from the threshold. It dispels the grim destroyer in a scientific way, for it purifies the blood and gives strength and vitality to the nerves. It tones up and restores to a healthy condition all of the great life-giving organs of the body.

Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy will enable those who take it to throw off little ills that prove dangerous only when they attack a system already wasted and weakened.

From many people, who have experienced benefit from this greatest of all life-lengtheners, comes the following from the famous General Longstreet of 1217 New Hampshire Ave., Washington, D. C. He says:

"It gives me great pleasure to add my testimony with many others for Dr. Greene's Remedy, which I have used with highly beneficial results, and I am able to recommend its virtues from experience. I have used it for catarrh and have derived help."

Mr. Wellington Hynes, Elizabethtown, N. Y., writes:

"I feel it my duty to tell how much good Dr. Greene's Nervura has done me. I was so run down that I could not sleep at night and everything worried me. I had no appetite and could not work, my head ached all the time and there was an all-gone feeling in my stomach, and I was always looking on the dark side of everything. I began to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and in less than three weeks I felt like a new man. I can now do as much work as is expected of a man of my age. I advise anyone who is troubled to take Dr. Greene's Nervura. Do not go to a doctor, but get a bottle of Dr. Greene's Nervura. It is cheaper than a doctor's bill."

The latter part of Mr. Hynes's advice might be profitably disregarded, however, if you should feel you would like the advice of a physician. You can have such advice and have it free if you will write or call on the greatest known blood and nerve specialist, Dr. Greene, 35 W. 14th St., New York City.

The Question of Dessert

Is easily and simply solved with a package of Burnham's Hasty Jellycon. It is only necessary to dissolve a package of it in boiling water and set away to cool. The result is a delightfully pure jelly, and an ideal dessert. The flavors are orange, lemon, strawberry, raspberry, peach, wild cherry and the unflavored "calfsfoot" for making wine and coffee jellies. All grocers sell it.

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF *Levari Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cameron county, and to me directed, I have seized, levied upon and taken into execution and will expose for sale to the highest and best bidder at public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in Emporium, Cameron county, Pa., on

Friday, 19th Day of April A. D., 1901,

AT 2:00 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

The following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain piece, parcel and lot of ground, situate, lying and being in the township of Gibson, county of Cameron and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit; Beginning at the northeast corner of Warrant No. 5470; thence south along the east line of said Warrant and the east line of Warrant No. 5471, six hundred and forty (640) rods to the southeast corner of said Warrant No. 5471; thence west along the south line of said Warrant No. 5471, four hundred and forty four and eight-tenths (444 8-10) rods to a post; thence north 322 9-10 rods to a hemlock on the north side of Bennett's Branch Creek; thence north fifty-four (54) degrees east one hundred and sixty-seven (167) rods to a rock oak; thence north two hundred and eighteen and three-tenth (218 3-10) rods to a post in the north line of said Warrant No. 5470; thence east along the north line of said Warrant, No. 5470, three hundred and ten and seven-tenths (310 7-10) rods to the northeast corner of said Warrant No. 5470, the place of beginning. Containing one thousand four hundred and sixty-six (1466) acres, more or less, and being the east part of said Warrants Nos 5470 and 5471. Excepting and reserving therefrom the following five pieces of land: First:—Beginning at the hemlock on the north bank of Bennetts Branch Creek; thence down said creek, by its several courses, one hundred and thirty-two (132) rods to a hemlock; thence northeasterly one hundred and two (102) rods to a black oak; thence north seventy (70) rods to a chestnut oak; thence south fifty-four (54) degrees, west nineteen (19) rods to a rock oak in the west line of the above described piece; thence south fifty-four (54) degrees, west one hundred and sixty-seven (167) rods to the hemlock, the place of beginning. Containing ninety (90) acres, more or less, deeded by James Mix to Hezekiah Mix, by deed recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "B," at page 305. Second:—Beginning at a maple on the bank of Mix Run; thence west fourteen (14) rods to a stone; thence north twelve (12) rods to a post; thence east fourteen (14) rods to the bank of said run; thence south twelve (12) rods to a thorn apple, the place of begnning. Containing one acre on which is or was an old saw mill. Conveyed by James Mix to Hezekiah Mix by deed dated Sept. 15th, 1849, and recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "B," page 307. Third:—On the north side of Bennetts Branch Creek, beginning at a post by land of Hezekiah Mix; thence north twenty-two and three-fourths (22¾) degrees, east ten (10) rods; thence south seventy-seven (77) degrees east, four (4) rods; thence south seven (7) degrees west, ten (10) rods; thence by public road north seventy-four and one fourth (74¼) degrees west, seven (7) rods to the place of beginning. Containing fifty-five (55) square rods. Conveyed by Henry Mix and J. J. Mix to the School Directors of Gibson School district by deed dated, Dec. 1st, 1857 and recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "G," at page 486. Fourth:—Beginning at a post on the east line of Warrant No. 5461, sixty (60) rods from pine (corner of S. Mix); thence south fifty-four and one-half (54½) degrees west, thirty-two (32) rods to a post; thence north fifty-two (52) degrees west, sixty-four and one-half (64½) rods to a post; thence north fifty-four and one-half (54½) degrees east ninety-nine (99) rods to a post on the Warrant line; thence south along said Warrant line to the place of beginning. Containing twenty-one (21) acres, more or less, being part of Warrant No. 5471, conveyed by James Mix to Solomon Mix in 1857 and recorded in Elk county, Deed Book "G" page 560. And also the right of way of the Allegheny Valley Railroad or the Bennetts Branch extension of said rail road over and across said land. Also further reserving all that lot of land, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the easterly bank of Mix Run at the mouth of the first run emptying into Mix Run on the left hand side as you go up said Mix Run; thence easterly up said run that so empties into Mix Run six hundred (630) feet; thence northwesterly and parallel with said Mix Run, thirteen hundred (1300) feet to a post; thence westerly and parallel with the first described line six hundred (600) feet to the bank of said Mix Run; thence up said Mix Run thirteen hundred (1300) feet to the place of beginning. Also the full and exclusive right and priviledge to the grantors, their heirs and assigns forever to use and occupy said run, known as Mix Run, from its mouth where it empties into Bennetts Branch up said run so far as the parties of the first part owned or had any priviledge for lumbering purposes, running and storing logs and lumber and all other purposes.

Also the right and privilege to build, construct and maintain dams in and across said Mix Run, at such points and places as the grantors or their heirs and assigns may at any time select, at such height as they may desire and to flood and cover with water all such lands on both sides of said run as they may require for ponds above said dams, and to use said ponds for the storage of logs and for all other purposes. Also the right, title and privilege to D. J. McDonald, his heirs and assigns forever, to build, construct and maintain a railroad and track from such point or place on the Bennetts Branch extension of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, as he, or his heirs, or assigns may select, over the said lands and premises, and up the valley of said Mix Run to any mill, manufactory, or place of business said McDonald, his heirs or assigns may hereafter have or build on said runs; said track and road bed, therefor, not to exceed 25 feet in width. Also reserving unto the said D. J. McDonald, his heirs and assigns, all his right, title and interest in, and to all the timber on said lands. The undivided one-half of the lands above described being the same land which D. J. McDonald and wife conveyed to Amanda Apker and Edith Clark, by deed dated the 23rd day of December, 1878, and recorded in the Recorder's office in Cameron county, in Deed Book "F", page 79, etc. The other undivided half being the same land conveyed to George W. Apker and Robert Clark by Mary McDonald and James J. McDonald, executors of D. J. McDonald, deceased, by deed dated January 28th, 1887, and filed February 8th, 1887, in the Court of Common Please of Cameron county, in No. 12, May Term, 1886, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances.

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When you are bilious, use those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers to cleanse the liver and bowels. They never gripe. R. C. Dodson. 8ly

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Men often appear to have something great on their minds when it is only too much on their stomachs.

Couldn't help getting a cold never cures it; but carrying home a bottle of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP, and using it as directed, will cure the worst kind of cough or cold. Price 25 and 50 cents, at L. Taggart's. mar

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